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Hon. R. B. Bennett Proclaims Faith In the Dominion

Prime Minister in New York Pays Tribute to the Courage, Unconquerable Spirit and Resource of the Canadian People and Presages Return to Prosperity

By THOMAS GREEN
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NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—In highly optimistic and ringing terms, Premier R. B. Bennett emphasized tonight Canada's unconquerable belief in herself. The Canadian Prime Minister spoke at the opening of the new home of the Canadian Club of New York.

"Canada has an unconquerable belief in herself," Mr. Bennett declared, and with his remarks wholehearted applause broke forth from his audience. "We have the faith that accepts good times as our natural due and bad times as only an interlude between past prosperity and the still greater prosperity that is to come and which we were born that way, and all the forces of world distress are powerless to change us. That does not mean that Canadians are vain, glorious, reckless, or prodigal, for they are not."

FACE FACTS

"In many kind of life and economy are virtues; in our pioneering lives they are veritable necessities. Nor does it mean that Canadians are confused between the facts as they are and as they would have been. We face whatever situation may arise with the knowledge that however bad it may be, hard work by all our people, courage in every walk of life, real and intelligent cooperation among the elements which compose the nation cannot fail to better our position."

The Prime Minister faced distinguished fellow-Canadians prominent in the professions and business life of the United States. "I am not here tonight to discuss the state of affairs in Canada," Premier Bennett stated, "but I am here for the purpose, of meeting old friends whom the turn of events which carry us hither and thither, has too long separated from me."

SOUND FOUNDATIONS

"Our trade reports, our bank statements, our revenues, our expenditures are published and made available to all. They tell the story of our progress in these troubled times; that, and the fact that our great institutions, built upon the foundations we long ago determined to be sound, stand unshaken in this economic confusion which has rocked the world."

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GIVEN FREEDOM BY GRAND JURY

No Bill Returned on Indictment of Robert D. Hall for Manslaughter

Robert D. Hall, of Trail, charged with manslaughter arising out of the death of three-and-a-half-year-old Lloyd Edgell at the intersection of Cook and Colquhoun streets on September 13 last, was freed by the grand jury of the Assize Court yesterday afternoon, with the return of "no bill" on the indictment. Mr. Hall was the driver of an automobile that struck and fatally injured the child. The jury was absent from the court room at 4:47 o'clock yesterday morning to 3:17 o'clock in the afternoon.

Other indictments now being considered by the grand jury are: Rex vs. J. T. Mann, charged with occasioning bodily harm to G. Dyson, who was an attendant at the fairgrounds during last week; Rex vs. Frederick A. Nickells, charged with manslaughter arising out of the death of Miss Grace W. Scott, who was struck and fatally injured by an automobile driven by Mr. Nickells on the night of September 19, at Quadra Street and Balmoral Road. Before giving the indictments to the grand jury yesterday morning, Mr. Justice Denis Murphy instructed the jury in the indictment concerning the charges in the indictments.

MORE PETITIONS TO UNSEAT FILED

MONTREAL, Oct. 13 (CP).—Challenges to the rights of newly elected members of the Quebec Legislature to hold their seats continue to appear almost daily. In fourteen ridings today petitions were presented in the Superior Court asking that the elected member in each case be unseated and his election declared void. Election irregularities were charged.

All today's petitions were filed against successful Liberal candidates and brought the total of such actions against members of that party to around sixty. Four contestations have been filed against successful Conservatives.

Ask for Tariff On Sunday Papers

TORONTO, Oct. 13 (CP).—Immediate imposition of a tariff on Sunday newspapers entering Canada is asked in a resolution forwarded to Premier R. B. Bennett by the Toronto Mailers' Union, No. 8. The resolution contends that this would create more work in Canada for workmen engaged in production of Canadian weekly newspapers.

To Open Negotiations



HON. W. D. Herridge (left), Canadian Minister to Washington, and Colonel Hanford MacNider (right), United States Minister to Canada, through whom verbal negotiations will begin immediately between Canada and the United States, looking to a St. Lawrence waterway treaty.

Premier Predicts Great Recovery in British Columbia

Pacific Commerce Will Awaken to New Prosperity With Return of Settled Conditions—Province Will Profit Immensely by Its Location and Pioneering Efforts of Citizens

BRITISH Columbia's Bank of Natural Resources is 100 per cent solvent, and one of the finest assets lies in the dominant courage and initiative of its people," Premier Tolmie declared in the course of a stirring address to the Saanich Central Conservative Association, gathered in the Campbell Building last evening. The Premier delivered an inspiring message of confidence in the ability of Canada to regain her prosperity, and predicted that the next decade would be one of greatest opportunity for British Columbia.

History taught, stated the Premier, that unrestricted optimism or unbridled pessimism were rarely grounded on solid facts. There was no denial that times were hard, but they had been harder within the memory of living generations. At such times the Premier said, it was not too serious a view of the situation, and this had betrayed able men in bygone years to predict disaster.

FAMOUS MEN WERE WRONG. "Early in the nineteenth century, Wilberforce declared that he dared not marry, the future was so dark and unsettled," the Premier continued. "William Pitt at one time affirmed that there was scarcely anything around us but ruin and despair." On the eve of his death the Duke of Wellington "thanked God that he would be spared from seeing the consummation of ruin that was gathering." Disraeli, in 1840, said that the industry, commerce and agriculture of this country were in a state of ruin, and that nothing could save the British Empire from shipwreck. Now these were able men, but you see their estimate of their own times was not borne out, and that the depression they envisioned lifted shortly afterwards.

It was not only Canada that was affected by the present lull in the world distribution of goods, he went on. All countries were having their own troubles, and those of this Dominion were relatively light by comparison. A recent survey of the New York Times showed \$450,000,000 set aside for public works to create winter employment; state budgets of \$40,000,000, and civic budgets ranging from \$1,000,000 to \$15,000,000.

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BOY KILLED IN CAR ACCIDENT

Sonny Wotton Meets Instant Death in Vancouver Street Traffic

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—A seven-year-old boy was killed and two adults suffered minor injuries in traffic accidents on city streets this afternoon.

Sonny Wotton, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wotton, 599 Cassiar Street, met instant death beneath the wheels of an automobile when he tried to run across Hastings Street, near the corner of Cassiar, in the face of a moving line of traffic.

Running from the north to the south side of the street, the child managed to avoid westbound traffic. As he dodged the fender of an east-bound street car, he ran directly in the path of an auto traveling alongside the tram and was knocked down and dragged under its wheels.

The right rear wheel of the car passed over his head.

Walter Johnstone, Burnaby, alleged driver of the auto which struck the child, had no chance to avoid the accident, according to eyewitnesses. He was not detained by police.

MANY DISPOSED TO FOLLOW POUND

TORONTO, Oct. 13 (CP).—There is a growing feeling among a number of prominent people that a large portion of the world will be disposed to follow the pound instead of the dollar, said A. E. Phillips, general manager of the Imperial Bank, today. Mr. Phillips returned to Toronto yesterday from a holiday in Great Britain.

CHURCH AND STATE SPLIT BY NEW LAW

Clause in Spanish Constitution Rejects Catholicism as National Religion

GUARDS ARE POSTED TO PREVENT DISORDERS

MADRID, Oct. 13 (AP).—The Spanish National Assembly, by a vote of 367 to 41, tonight approved Article 3 of the new Republican constitution rejecting the Catholic religion as the religion of the state. Shortly after the Assembly's vote was made known, special police guards charged a large meeting of labor groups in the Puerta del Sol, the centre of Madrid, who were beginning a demonstration and crying "Down with the church!"

Cafes and business houses immediately began closing their doors and the special guards dispersed other groups which were attempting to organize anti-clerical demonstrations outside the Assembly hall.

BREAKS OLD TRADITION

The action of the Assembly today breaks a tradition of centuries during which church authority has been officially recognized in state affairs. It also carries out the promises of Republican leaders, made before the dethronement of King Alfonso XIII, that under a republic, church and state would be separated completely.

Galleries and corridors of the Assembly hall were packed as the debate began over the substitution of the provision finally adopted for the original proposal which was much more drastic.

EXPULSION PROVIDED

The original article provided for the expulsion of religious orders from the country and the confiscation of their property. The amended provision calls for the governing of religious institutions by special laws which would forbid their engaging in commerce and industry. It also provided that they be rejected for "just cause."

There is also a provision for the dissolution of orders which have special authorities "conflicting with the state." Catholic deputies characterized this amendment as aimed against the Jesuits particularly.

MANITOBA MAY VOTE IN MONTH

Announcement of General Election Expected After Caucus Friday

WINNIPEG, Oct. 13 (CP).—Announcement of a general election in Manitoba in the latter part of November, or possibly in December, is expected to be made Friday at the Legislative Building. Forecast is certain to emanate from a Government caucus slated for Friday, and the announcement is expected to set the balloting between November 20 and the end of the month.

PRESENT STANDING

The Progressive group, headed by Premier Bracken, includes twenty-eight members in the fifty-five-seat Legislature. The remainder of the House comprises fifteen Conservatives, five Liberals, three Laborites and three Independents, and one vacancy. Premier Bracken has headed the Manitoba Government since 1922.

Greenleaf Premier Bracken announced that he had made a proposal to Conservative, Liberal and Labor heads for a Coalition Government. While Dr. Murdoch McKay, Liberal leader, accepted the suggestion, both Col. F. G. Taylor, Conservative head, and John Queen, Labor leader, refused.

Many Hurt In Factory Explosion

GOMERSAL, Eng., Oct. 13 (CP).—One woman was killed and thirty-seven were injured here today in a mysterious explosion at Burnley & Sons worsted mill. The woman killed was Mrs. Mary Jubb. Eight of the injured tonight were in hospital, while the remainder were sent to their homes after receiving first aid.

The French combing and spinning plant, where the explosion occurred, was said to be one of the largest in the country. The explosion was followed by indescribable confusion. Pieces of machinery weighing several tons were flung about like match boxes.

Gomersal is in Yorkshire, not far from Leeds.

REPRESENTED CANADA

MADRID, Oct. 13 (CP).—Senator Charles P. Beaumont, Montreal, represented Canada at the opening of the Pan-American Congress today. The Dominion's application for membership was ratified and Senator Beaumont took his seat as an official delegate.

Hostilities Reported From Manchuria While Diplomacy Paralyzed

Will Pay Official Visit to United States



DINO GRANDI, Italian Foreign Minister, will visit Washington in mid-November for a general discussion of the world situation. It was announced at Rome recently.

PLAN TO UNITE AGAINST LABOR

Full Power for Central Parliament to Be Asked From Australians

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Oct. 13 (CP).—The next federal election will seek a united front against the Labor party brought about through an agreement by the National and Country parties, the All-for-Australia League, and the Productive Industry Council to combine and work out a programme of systematic tariff revision, improvement in the arbitration system and the creation of new states, provisional on the holding of a referendum.

Premier J. H. Scullin, speaking today at Canberra, said the Federal Government would seek power to bring about the unification of the country under a plan which would give complete sovereign power to the Federal Parliament. His plan, he said, would also provide for the abolition of the State Parliaments and the transfer of authority in local affairs to the provincial councils in local areas.

The people, Premier Scullin said, would be requested to give the central parliament, which would be the only parliament, the right to change the constitution as they should see fit.

German Chancellor Shows His Hand at Reichstag Opening

Nationalists and Socialists Represented Only by Observers as Government's Programme Is Outlined—Foreign Policy of Conciliation

BERLIN, Oct. 13.—Chancellor Heinrich Brüning laid down his programme of government today at the opening session of the Reichstag. To guard against riots similar to the window-smashing outbursts that marked the opening of the Legislature last Fall, police were out in force.

ORDER EXTENDS OFFICIAL POWER

Hon. G. H. Ferguson to Have Supervision and Control Over Departments in Britain

OTTAWA, Oct. 13 (CP).—Jurisdiction over all departments of the Dominion Government in the United Kingdom will be exercised by Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, High Commissioner for Canada in Great Britain. An order-in-council passed when Hon. P. C. Larkin was High Commissioner, and which gave to Mr. Larkin extended jurisdiction, has been extended so as to apply to Mr. Ferguson.

As things now stand the Canadian High Commissioner in London will have supervision and control over officials of the immigration, trade and commerce, agriculture and any other Government departments in the United Kingdom.

Action to extend Mr. Ferguson's jurisdiction was taken after conferences between the Canadian High Commissioner, Premier R. B. Bennett, and other members of the Dominion Cabinet.

UNEMPLOYMENT DECREASES

LONDON, Oct. 13 (AP).—Unemployment in Great Britain for the week of October 5 decreased by 23,222 from the previous week. The total was 2,791,520, which was 613,326 more than at the same time a year ago.

Japanese Insist on Direct Negotiations With China as Only Road to Solution of Trouble—Chinese Refuse to Negotiate While Japanese Troops on Chinese Soil

LONDON, Oct. 14 (Wednesday) (AP).—A dispatch to The Daily Express this morning from Mukden, Manchuria, said that Japanese troops marched out of the city yesterday afternoon, planning to encircle the entire Chinchow area and to advance eastward along the Peiping-Mukden Railway, in what they said was a drive against bandits.

The dispatch also said it was reported a Japanese air squadron was fired on by a Chinese troop train near Kaoping yesterday and that the airplanes retaliated by dropping three bombs, which did no damage. Japanese reports were credited with saying that 260 Japanese and Korean civilians have been killed by alleged bandits inside Japanese-controlled areas, and 130 outside of the area since the Japanese occupation.

ELECTION IS NOT FAR OFF

Conflict Will Rage in Ireland Concerning Public Safeties Bill

DUBLIN, Oct. 13 (AP).—One of the most bitter parliamentary battles in Free State history will be fought out in the Dail Eireann during the next few days.

Political observers declare it is not at all improbable that by the end of the week the Government of President William T. Cosgrave will find its position untenable and will carry the battle up to the country in a general election.

The conflict will revolve upon the public safeties bill which the Government is introducing when the Dail convenes tomorrow as a result of disturbances during the last few months.

DETAILS SECRET

While details of the measure have been kept secret, it is understood it would confer extraordinary powers on the police to deal with emergencies and would provide for the establishment of military courts for summary trial of persons charged with sedition or outrages.

It is understood that the administration, in presenting this measure, intends to offer what it considers proof of a conspiracy against the Government in Republican quarters, and of the growth of Communism.

TOOK "MOVIES" OF NORTH'S BIG GAME

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Oct. 13 (AP).—Sir John Milne, of London, who came to Alaska seeking a motion picture of a bull moose fight, didn't get snaps of any fighters, but he did get some excellent movies of big game of the territory, he said here today upon his return from the Kenai Peninsula.

Sir John said he obtained many close-ups of big game during his visit, and stated he would try for a picture of a fight at another time. Sir John left late today for Vancouver, B.C.

ROBBERS SHOOT UP U.S. VILLAGE

Gang of Safeblowers Loot Bank and Terrify Residents of Town

LITTON, Ind., Oct. 13 (AP).—Reminiscence of the depredations of the James boys, a gang of safeblowers early today wrecked the Litton State Bank, shot up the town and escaped with approximately \$4,000 in currency and negotiable securities.

The robbers, two automobiles loaded with them, obtained hammers, crow bars and tarpaulins from a nearby railroad shed, broke their way into the bank through a side door, then opened the front door. For an hour and a half a series of nitroglycerine charges were set off until the door on the time lock safe finally gave way, crashing through a partition of the banking room.

ENGAGED IN GUN FIGHT

Meanwhile, Marion Bailey, seventy-two-year-old president of the bank, who lives across the street, engaged in a gunfight with a bandit who was barricaded behind a pile of benches in front of the bank building.

Residents of this village of 200 inhabitants midway between Indianapolis and Crawfordville, were unable to communicate with authorities, as the robbers had severed the telephone lines. Rather than face the gunfire of the bandits, they remained in their homes while the wrecking of the bank was completed.

Picking up their loot, the robbers, firing indiscriminately to intimidate the citizens, drove out of town.

TWO DICTATORS MEET IN SINAI

By JOHN GUNTHER
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VIENNA, Oct. 13.—Two souls with a single thought, King Carol of Rumania and Marshal Josef Pilsudski of Poland, met for the first time in King Carol's palace at Sinaia today.

Their single thought, as far as foreign policy is concerned, is to keep a united front between Poland and Rumania against the Soviet Union. King Carol and Pilsudski, romantic conspirators both, each of whom spent years in exile before returning to the countries they now head, have much in common.

CHINESE ON DRUG CHARGE

Chan Yew on Trial at Assize Court—Indicted for Distributing

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Flying Couple May Take Off From Victoria for New York

SEATTLE, Oct. 13 (AP)—American Mail Line officials today admitted there was some question as to the route Colonel and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh will follow after the steamship President Jefferson reaches Victoria on Tuesday morning from Japan.

They declined, however, to disclose whether they had any information that the couple would fly direct to New York or New Jersey from the Canadian city instead of remaining on the ship until it arrives here later in the day. The Lindberghs are returning home because of the unexpected death of Mrs. Lindbergh's father, Senator Dwight Morrow.

He testified he received the cocaine, two "decks" from the accused in the doorway of a shop. That was on July 31. He said, he said, \$2 for the two decks. His next venture was on August 1, when he gave the accused \$10.00, marked money, he said. He swore he received six packs of cocaine and \$1 change as his share of the transaction. The balance of the money given to Chan Yew.

MONEY MISSING
Officers of police, stationed a short distance away, later arrested the pair. The agent was seen and produced six decks of the drug but the marked money was missing. Joe You, in his evidence, testified he had given Chan Yew the \$10 some time previous to receiving the drugs. In order to induce the accused to part with the drug, Joe You told him it was for a "white girl." You stated in his testimony.

Evidence was given by Sergeant Black, Sergeant Paton and Constable V. G. Macdonald, of the R.C.M.P. and William H. Hill, government agent. Gordon A. Cameron appeared for the Crown and J. B. Clearhouse for the defence.

Evidence for the Crown was complete when the court adjourned at 5:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon. This morning the defence will open its case and the case should go to the jury before the noon recess.

HUGE CROWDS GREET BRITISH LEADERS IN ELECTION CAMPAIGN
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cashier, Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, leader of the Labor forces, is speaking in halls equally packed. In his own constituency of Burnley, Mr. Henderson made the first speech of his campaign.

He declared the National Government was agreed on only one thing—the necessity of inflicting a crushing defeat upon Labor.

DISCREDITABLE MANOEUVRE
"The astonishing thing about this discreditable manoeuvre," Mr. Henderson proceeded, "is that at its head the former leader of those political forces it is attempting to destroy. What the Labor movement or the Parliamentary Labor party has done to deserve this treatment by the National Government scorpions is not easy to understand, as it must be remembered that MacDonald, before forming the new combination, suffered no reverse at the hands of the Labor party."

CAMPAIGNS IN LONDON
Lord Beaverbrook, the Canadian peer and newspaper publisher, was out campaigning in the East End of London tonight. A queue of a mile long stretched down the street leading to Limehouse, Town Hall half-an-hour before the meeting began. As he stepped onto the platform to speak on behalf of the Conservative candidate, Mr. Beaverbrook was greeted by mixed cheers and boos. A reference by the chairman to Prime Minister MacDonald was received with a "trator." Communist members of the audience sang "The Red Flag."

HIGHLIGHTS FROM SPEECHES
The following highlights are taken from speeches made today by political leaders in Great Britain's general election campaign.

Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald—Nationalization is the thing that is going to save our country. But nationalization must be grown into, not jumped into.

Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, joint leader with Mr. MacDonald of the fight for a National Government—Our task at home today is to maintain our democracy and to prove that democracy can live and function.

Rt. Hon. A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty in the Labor Government—The country is being asked for a checkmate to the most in discriminate and discreditable crew that ever entered the Cabinet.

GENERAL TARIFFS
Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the former Conservative Government—It is a sure policy that Mr. MacDonald nor Mr. Baldwin will contradict me when I say the new House of Commons should be absolutely free to set up a permanent general tariff if it thinks it a wise and useful contribution towards solving our difficulties.

Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, head of the Labor party—What the Labor movement or the Labor party has done to deserve to be whipped by the National Government scorpions is not easy to understand.

EMPIRE PREFERENCE
Rt. Hon. L. C. M. Amery, Conservative—Empire preference means prosperity.

Sir Oswald Mosley, leader of the "new party"—Parliament must change from a paradise for professional windbags to a workshop for men of action.

Sir Austen Chamberlain, First Lord of the Admiralty in the National Government—Protection must be afforded home industries and an increase sought in mutual trade with the Dominions.

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COUNCIL IS UNDER FIRE

Alleged Lack of Co-operation of Esquimalt Municipal Body Criticized

Strong criticism of the Esquimalt Council in its alleged lack of spirit to co-operate with the municipal Board of Trade was voiced at last night's meeting of the latter body, held in the Parish Hall, Esquimalt, following the reading of a reply from the council to a letter previously forwarded from the board.

The matter arose when a letter from the board was sent to the council asking that the members of the board be informed of any developments made with the Provincial Government to have Admirals Road made an arterial highway, and also for any information regarding plans that the council might have for unemployment relief.

THE REPLY
The reply from the municipal clerk, on behalf of the council, assured the board that the only information it would receive would be that available to the public, and this could be had on application to the municipal clerk.

The members at last night's meeting were unanimous in the decision that the council's reply "didn't sound very much like co-operation." The communication was received and filed.

Further business of the meeting included a resolution from the secretary of the Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island, which read: "Resolved that the executive of the Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island be asked to make some arrangements for future conventions whereby the resolutions committee can commence its work at a reasonable time before the convention date." The suggestion is made that either the convention be called earlier in the day or that the resolutions committee be named in advance.

WANT EARLY SITTING
A motion recommending the calling of the convention earlier in the day, was passed unanimously.

A copy of the resolutions passed at the annual meeting of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, held recently in Regina, was received and filed.

CAT'S FORTUNE BRINGS \$8,000
Estate Left by Dr. Ide to Her Feline Pet Auctioned in California

SAN GABRIEL, Cal., Oct. 13 (AP)—Auction of the household effects of Miss, once the world's wealthiest cat, brought a total of approximately \$8,000, it was revealed today.

Attracted by the unusual event, hundreds of persons yesterday gathered at the palatial home where Mrs. Mittel had lived until her death last April at the age of eighteen years.

The cat had been allowed the use of the home by its late mistress, Dr. Maude Cain Ide, and a special fund had been set aside for the upkeep of the large house and the cat's guardian, Mrs. Pauline Goetz.

On the death of the cat, the trust fund and house went to other beneficiaries, largely charitable organizations, of the will of Dr. Ide. The estate totaled \$265,000.

Included in the household effects were a large number of valuable pieces of furniture, a four-poster bed which the cat had used for years. Money realized from the auction was added to the estate.

Dr. Ide, a practicing physician, who for many years lived in Alhambra, California, was known throughout the surrounding country during her life for her charitable work.

HOSTILITIES REPORTED FROM MANCHURIA WHILE DIPLOMACY PARALYZED
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tion in this country, he said for Shanghai this morning on a Japanese warship.

A STATE OF WAR
The Chinese reply, a few hours later, referred to Japan's military campaign in Manchuria as a violation of international agreements and contended that the occupation constituted a state of war.

Other developments today included announcement by officials here that further progress had been made toward conclusion of a peace with the Cantonese insurgent Government.

The Chinese reply given Consul Umemura was drafted by Dr. W. W. Yen, new Chinese Minister to Washington.

FOUR-HOUR ARGUMENT
GENEVA, Oct. 13 (AP)—The League of Nations Council listened for four hours today while the Chinese and Japanese spokesmen hurled charges and counter-charges about the Manchurian conflict. The council solemnly endorsed a declaration by Aristide Briand that the League surely will act to the extent of its power to bring peace to the Far East.

Continuing its efforts for conciliation through private conversations, the council will not sit publicly again until its next step "to safeguard the peace of nations" has been determined.

TERMINAL RESPONSIBILITY
Mr. Briand referred to the promises by Japan and China to avoid any aggravating action and emphasized "the terrible responsibility" upon the two governments to refrain from pushing "an already grave situation to the proportions of a catastrophe." He asked the League to take courage from the fact that in the midst of feeling the two nations through their representatives at Geneva still could debate specific means for settlement.

MINISTERS ARRIVE
NANKING, Oct. 14 (AP)—Neilson T. Johnson, the American Minister, arrived here today from Peking, for a series of conferences with heads of the Chinese Government.

The British Minister, Sir Miles Lampson, also was expected here today for the conferences.

He was due here at 4 p.m. (3 a.m. E.S.T.) by airplane from Peking.

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The annual Thanksgiving supper and dance, given by the Woman's Auxiliary to St. Mark's Church, Cloverdale, in the parish hall, Tennyson Road, on Monday night, proved a great success, about two hundred parishioners being present. The ladies had decorated the hall with flowers and the supper tables were effectively laid with vases of dahlias, gladioli, chrysanthemums and daisies. Mrs. O. L. Jull and Mrs. Joseph Rogers were in charge, assisted by the following members of the W.A.: Mesdames Hughes, O. M. Prentice, Cameron, Porter, Harris, Bridges, Shaw, Archer, Newman, Duffield and McElfresh, Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Bridges at the door, Rev. O. L. Jull, vicar of St. Mark's, presided.

The community singing, led by Mr. Chivers, was greatly enjoyed, all present taking part. Afterwards the following musical programme was rendered: Duet, mandolin and piano, Porter brothers; songs, Mr. Chivers; solo, Mrs. Jull; violin solo, Mrs. Ruby Moore, and violin duet, Mrs. Moore and Harold George. Dancing was enjoyed until well after midnight.

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Lamb, representing, he said, the
International Utilities Corporation,
announced today he has asked the
Oregon State Highway Commission
for permission to lay a twenty-inch

pipe line from a point near Welser,
Idaho, parallel to the Old Oregon
Trail to Portland.

Lamb said the company plans to
construct this natural gas pipe line
from Wyoming to Vancouver, at a
cost of \$30,000,000. The Oregon
unit, he said, will cost from
\$8,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

J. M. Devers, attorney for the
highway commission, announced to-
day he is investigating the matter.

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GERMANY HAS BEST SYSTEM OF INSURING

Prof. B. K. Sandwell Ad-
dresses Canadian Clubs
Here on Unemployment

CANADA ADVISED
TO ADOPT POLICY

"Don't imagine that any system
of unemployment insurance is ade-
quate for such a situation as we
have at the present time. What
we have at the moment has nothing
to do with the cyclical ups and
downs for which ordinary unem-
ployment insurance was created.
We are now in the midst of a move-
ment which is due to an outrageous
displacement of the world's gold
supply," declared Professor B. K.
Sandwell, B.A., F.R.S.C., of Mon-
real, in the course of a cleverly
analytical address on the question
of unemployment insurance which
he gave twice yesterday.

Touring the Dominion as lecturer
under the auspices of the Federa-
tion of Canadian Clubs, he spoke
on the first occasion here as the
guest of the Men's Canadian Club
luncheon meeting at midday at the
Empress, and in the afternoon ad-
dressed a well-attended meeting of
the Women's Canadian Club at the
same place.

On both occasions Professor
Sandwell gave a brilliant analysis
of the unemployment insurance
system of Great Britain and Ger-
many, and each time made it quite
clear that in his opinion Germany
had the more logical system of the
two for such an emergency as the
present. After advancing his rea-
sons for thinking so, he suggested
that the German system should suit
Canada better than the British, not
only because it was more logical, in
his view, but because the diversified
nature of the German economy had
succeeded in Germany where it had
succeeded in this country. Local
conditions in respect of unemployment
were taken into consideration; also
the cost of living in each country,
and the local and the unemployed per-
son's previous occupation and stand-
ard of living.

DISTRIBUTION
In Germany, moreover, the proper
distribution of labor had also been
worked out, so that there was a
minimizing of the possibility of
local unemployment when there was
employment available in any other
part of the country. In other words,
local interests had been surrendered
to national interests. Canada was
fortunate not so provincialistic that
a system of federal unemployment
insurance, operating nationally,
could not be put into practice. This would leave the unem-
ployed the privilege of moving from
one province to another without
fear of losing the benefits of un-
employment insurance; and would
also permit industry to move freely.

Always I should regret to see
any system which would cause Can-
adians to remember that they are
British Columbians, Nova Scotians,
or Quebecers more vividly than
they remember that they are Can-
adians," said the speaker, in cov-
ering this point.

Whatever system Canada adopted
in the future should and must be
national. Germany's was an
national system, but they had wisely
left the collection and disbursement
of the insurance in the hands of
the local authorities, adjustable to
local conditions, and with district
authorities to reduce the premiums
as soon as sufficient reserve had
been established. This had added
incentive to efficient local man-
agement.

NATIONAL YET LOCAL
"In Canada we should have a
fund which would be recognized as
a national fund with local control,
but it should be felt by all Cana-
dians that it is open to any Cana-
dian, no matter where he may wish
to go," he maintained. It was
too late to institute any new system
to meet the present emergency, but
it was still possible to guard against
the evil results of the uncertainty
which must always beset the un-
protected wage earner.

In the opening part of his address,
Professor Sandwell insisted that,
contrary to some popular opinion,
unemployment insurance was really
a form of insurance and not charity,
not a relief grant, not a form of
relief for the perishing poor. It was
just as really insurance as fire or
health or motor insurance, and
did not undertake to prevent un-
employment any more than fire in-
surance undertook to prevent fires
or motor insurance to prevent ac-
cidents to motors. It was a system
in which contributions were made
by the worker and certain pay-
ments guaranteed in the event of
unemployment.

OBJECTIONS TO DOLE
The objections raised to the British
system on the grounds that their
unemployment insurance at the
present time was a dole were
quite valid, thought the speaker, for
it imposed practically unlimited li-
ability upon the State in providing
for those out of work or in need of
help. In the ordinary way, there
was a tendency to exaggerate the
importance of periods of depression,
but the world condition at the pre-
sent time was traceable to higher
and more universal conditions, ex-
traneous displacement of the world's
gold supply, and as long as the
gold continued to move in the
direction of one or two nations
only, just so long would the de-
pression continue.

The United States insistence on
the collection of its debt of twenty-
two billion dollars of gold, when the
total world supply of gold was only
eleven millions, made the existing
condition inevitable. The present
condition could not be insured
against, and even had Canada had
a system of unemployment insur-
ance in practice for the past
twenty-five years, she could not
possibly supply sufficient to meet
the unemployment needs at the
present time.

NOT NEW THING
The history of unemployment in-
surance was briefly reviewed, show-
ing that in Europe it was by no
means new. Germany had been the
first to institute it on a scientific
basis, and had developed it quite
extensively even prior to the war. In
England it functioned before the

A Tribute and Prayer

At this period of Thanksgiving, Victoria citizens recall the wonders
and works performed by Thomas A. Edison, the great inventor, who is
grievously ill in his home at Orange, N.J., and are sending forward to
his family the following expressive lines from the pen of James A. Boland,
poet, scholar and educator.

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Here from this New World's outer rim,
Upon the vast Pacific Slope,
We send this message and we hope,
It is not fully lost to him.

We thank him for our homes made bright,
And for our streets in safety's glow,
For glorious harbor, gallant show,
Our ships that safely pass at night."

For railroad signals, Coast to Coast;
For headland's lighthouse warning beam,
For signals sent on wave and stream,
Your light's swift message, saves the lost.

"To save is better than to kill."
Your victory of sunlight way,
Marks out the best, will peaceful day,
For earth's wide nations, Peace be still.

We live upon our shivered World,
Our age of power, heat and light,
Clear common sense in visioned sight,
Almighty Power in safety hurried.

This vast Dominion of God's light,
Encompassing both sea and land,
Joining all Nations, hand to hand,
Our way to Peace, for all made bright.

Our working God in common things,
Religious and the Golden Rule,
Makes the whole universe a school,
And Life abundant joyful sings.

As leader of that seeking host,
Inventor's labors brought to us,
We, too, have our best part, or loss,
To carry farther on, your trust.

We pray the gallant heart will beat,
Back to the power of life and brain,
A few more years with us again,
God's Best Will world, in Peace to meet.

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war in certain trades, on the princi-
ple that the premiums collected
from the workers would meet the
demands during unemployment.
Under the original scheme the
worker, the employer, and the state
provided about a third each in Em-
ily; and in Germany, only the worker
and the employer paid into the
fund. In Britain, payments and
benefits in two years, and in Ger-
many, with the exception that a
difference was made for men and
women, for adults and young peo-
ple.

The German system collected the
whole cost of insurance from the
worker and employer, which was
more logical than throwing any part
of the burden of business on the
taxpayer. Under the British sys-
tem the worker benefited to the ex-
tent of seventeen shillings per week
for each man, provided he was with-
out dependents; an additional nine
shillings for each adult dependent;
and two shillings more for each
child. Up to 1924 under this system
collections and expenditures had
balanced, payees being under condi-
tion to pay at least twenty pay-
ments in two years, and then re-
ceiving assistance to the extent of
one week's benefits in six weeks or
not more than twenty-six weeks
benefits in one year.

DOLE BENEFITS
In 1925 the system ceased to be
unemployment insurance, and be-
came a dole, amendments being
made whereby the dole was ex-
tended to those who had not made
more than eight payments.
Although designed as a
sincerely temporary measure, it found
extended beneficiaries, the only re-
sult being that they should be
"genuinely seeking work." This
phrase, however, was open to in-
terpretations according to the
various local authorities, and in
1930, consequently, the clause was
abolished, and the dole was made
a mere suspension of the benefits for a
period of not more than six weeks.

"I think that the unemployment
insurance scheme, when on a sound
basis, was of the highest value in
improving the morale of the work-
ing classes," maintained Prof. Sand-
well, who attributed much of the
improved social conditions in Brit-
ain to the system. Naturally, a
small number of people in every
community would default in the
matter of unemployment insurance,
just as a small number would always
be guilty of setting fire to their own
premises in order to collect the fire
insurance.

FUND GOES BEHIND
After 1930 the British scheme
failed, and had been going behind
at the rate of many millions per an-
num for some time. No insurance
fund could possibly be expected to
cope with the rapid decline of prices
during the past four years. After
the unemployment insurance fund
was exhausted, in Britain, provision
should have been made for the pro-
tection of the workers by a system
of unemployment relief rather than
unemployment insurance.

The German system had the ad-
vantage that it recognized "grades"
of workers, so that the low-paid work-
ers received benefits to the extent of
80 per cent of his wages, this high
percentage being recognized as nec-
essary to his support. The German
idea also recognized as far as pos-
sible the standard of living in a
family should be maintained; that
it was in the interests of the state
that children who were being well
educated should continue to be as
well educated as possible, and that
the father of such a family should
receive up to 60 per cent of his
wage. On the other hand, if the
high-wage man were single, he
would receive benefits only up to
37 per cent.

In other words, the German sys-
tem seems to provide for the preser-
vation of relative standards of liv-
ing among the different workers,
and considers also different living
conditions in different parts of the
country. Canada, with similar di-
tance a lesson from Germany in this
verification of conditions, should
respect.

In Germany a worker could not
refuse to go into less remunerative
occupation because it was less re-
munerative, but up to nine weeks
he could refuse to accept work con-
trary to his training or unskilled to
his physical condition. No grant
was given a worker until one week
after he had lost his position, this
being considered an inducement to
him to hold his position. This tal-
lied with our own conditions for
motor insurance, precluding claim
for less than \$25 damages," Prof.
Sandwell asserted.

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from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., and
from 3:30 p.m. to 5:50 p.m.

October 14, so the stars foretell,
be pregnant with opportunity.
Those who have the onus to grasp
it will reap a rich reward, although
it may involve drastic changes. In
social life, the omens point to suc-
cess, and Romance will make its ap-
pearance, and happy engagements
will result. In domestic circles there
will be freedom from worry and
anxiety.

A natural tendency to rely on
others, rather than on their own
efforts, will be noticed in children
born on this October 14. They will
need outside help at school, in the
house, and in the home. Their own
judgment will be "wobbly." They
will lack self-confidence. As a com-
pensation, their natures will be
sweet and their dispositions most
kindly.

If born on October 14, you are
not a dreamer and emotional. No
matter the complexity of the prob-
lem, you, in your mind, solve it im-
mediately, and herein lies your
danger. Your diagnoses are often
based on insufficient data and your
remedies, at times, aggravate—
rather than ameliorate—conditions.
You are not a lover of routine or a
responder of conventional usage.
You are always ready to scrap old
methods—no matter how good they
may be—for new systems. You are
extremely sensitive, as well as
jealous. You show your emotions—
largely evanescent—too clearly and
too frequently.

Extreme in all things, you become
impatient with those who do not
immediately subscribe to your tenets
and beliefs. You are never willing
to admit that there is to any ques-
tion any side other than your own.
Rather a poor judge of "humans,"
you are easily beguiled by attention
or flattery. Losses are indicated by
this truthfulness in those who do
not merit it.

Your horoscope indicates some
grave disappointment in early
years, permanent success is
only foretold for later years, when
experience has made you realize
that "to err is human," and that
"no one is perfect." It is the Royal
regiment that marches in step.

**MAINLAND WOMAN
HURT IN SMASH**

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 13.—
Suffering from a fracture of the
skull, Ethel Laing, twenty-two, of
Langley Prairie, is in the Royal
Columbian Hospital in a serious
condition as the result of an auto-
mobile accident early on Sunday
morning, on the Yale Road, near
Langley Prairie.

Accompanied by a brother,
George, a sister, a brother-in-law
and Pat Donnelly, Miss Laing was
returning to Langley Prairie from
New Westminster. In the heavy fog
the car struck a culvert and was
ditched, the impact hurling Miss
Laing and Mr. Donnelly from the
back seat to the front of the car.
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Foresee Legislation On Campaign Funds

OTTAWA, Oct. 13.—The Ottawa
Citizen publishes the following to-
day:

"A proposal for legislation at the
next session of Parliament on the
subject of campaign funds is fore-
cast as a prospective development,
whether it will emanate from a
Western Liberal or Western Pro-
gressive is not certain, but someone,
it is said to be agreed, will come
forward with it.

"From the Resurrection inquiry
the repercussions have been consid-
erable and, while legitimate election
expenses call for contributions, the
purpose is to develop a method of
overcoming their secrecy."

PASTORS TO DONATE PART OF SALARIES

TORONTO, Oct. 13 (CP)—Pastors
under the jurisdiction of Toronto
West Presbytery of the United
Church of Canada, today decided to
donate a percentage of their salaries
for relief work in Western Canada.

The decision was made at a meet-
ing of the presbytery held in New
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ant to talk about. But neither is
it pleasant to endure.

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ficient exercise, combine to halt
normal elimination and set poisons
to circulating throughout your body.
Appetite fails. Pep gives out. Colds,
headaches, skin troubles multiply.

Now you want to correct this
trouble, of course. Then read what
the famous Austrian authority, Dr.
Karl Gruenfeld, advises:

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Wednesday, October 14, 1931

THE MANCHURIAN IMBROGLIO

China's threat of war against Japan, if the League of Nations fails to find a solution of the present Manchurian problem, is probably more in the nature of a gesture than as a possible intimation of what is intended. China, torn by disruptive internal factions, political and military, is hardly in the standpoint of any possibility of China fighting. It is obvious that Japan is only vulnerable to any successful Chinese attack in three ways—through Korea, in Manchuria, and by virtue of an economic boycott of her goods. The last point of vulnerability is now being tested. China could do little or nothing against the Japanese in concession areas without arousing the hostility of the other Powers located there. Her war with Japan, if such should eventuate, would be largely one of defending her own territories.

Japan has as up to date armaments as any that exist in the world. The latest return on these has just been made to the League of Nations. At the end of the last fiscal year the number of effectives in the land armed forces of Japan was 259,304, including 17,343 officers. There are 834 aeroplanes with the land forces and an additional 300 available for military service. In naval armaments Japan possesses 88,199 effectives, of whom 9,777 are employed in naval aviation. Her navy has a global tonnage of 850,328, including ten capital ships, four aircraft carriers, fourteen cruisers carrying guns of more than 6.1 in.; twenty-four cruisers with 6.1 in. guns and less; 119 destroyers; eighty submarines and a number of exempt and special vessels. The naval force has 472 aeroplanes attached to the coastal flying corps and 329 carried by aircraft carriers and other warships.

China's navy is practically a negligible quantity. The strength of her land forces is not known, for there is a large section of revolutionaries in China which makes no return to the League of Nations. Undoubtedly China has many men under arms, possibly 750,000, and immense reserves of man power. The Chinese troops, however, are not as highly trained or as well equipped with the impedimenta of war as those of Japan. War between the countries would probably be of short duration. For the moment the point of interest is the efficacy of the League of Nations in performing the main function for which it was called into existence. If it has the moral power which its proponents claim it can find a modus vivendi in the Manchurian dispute, if only of a temporary character.

HEALTH INSURANCE

National health insurance in Britain is experiencing grave difficulties at the present time. What was not anticipated in connection with the social service which it implies was the possibility of difficulties in its maintenance in times of depression. At present, with nearly 3,000,000 insured persons unemployed and with a steady rise in the sickness and disablement claims, there is financial danger threatening the basis of the insurance plan. It simply means that the taxpayers have to find more money and that the system, through economic stress, has passed from an actuarial basis to a scheme of philanthropy.

The conclusion now reached is that if unemployment is maintained in Britain at its present level and if the principle of health insurance is to be maintained, the drastic step will have to be taken of suspending the sickness and disablement benefits, and even of discontinuing the payment of the doctors for medical attendance, for those members who have not paid any contribution for a lengthened period of time. No Socialist scheme of a similar character is worth while unless it stands the strain of foul as well as fair weather, particularly because during foul economic conditions is the time when the benefits involved are most needed.

DENMARK'S RESURGENCE

The present advanced status of Denmark, as recounted by Dr. Peter Manniche, of Copenhagen, in his lectures here, is a happy illustration of the power of an idea in a nation's life. The transformation wrought in that country during a few decades was Aladdin-like. Shattered by the ravages of war and with Norway lost for good, robbed by Germany of the duchies of Schleswig and Holstein, with the rural population falling rapidly, Denmark in the seventies of the last century was in a bad way. In a few intense years she was born again and rose to economic independence and an enviable position among the nations of Europe. The idealism of Nicolai Grundtvig, coupled with the pedagogic skill of Kristen Kold and others, were largely productive of the change.

The idea was fostered of getting young people in their later adolescence to pause and search for the purpose of life. This, Bishop Grundtvig passionately proclaimed as the function of educational leaders. Kristen Kold was the first to put this ideal to work by establishing the folk high school for youths between eighteen and twenty-four years of age, in which a practical life-philosophy was inculcated by inspirational lectures and social contacts. The founder of the first folk high school in England, Tom Bryan, defined the object as "to impart to students a spiritual view of life, so that they may see some sense in their existence."

In these schools latent powers were developed, all life (including the agricultural) was dignified, and a spirit of co-operation was inculcated, with the result that in a short time Denmark took a front stand in the world's market. This little land has written in large letters the worth of inspirational ideals, and illustrates the truth that the production of character should actuate all the educational processes of our youth. In a word, culture is primary in citizenship, and culture pays.

UNEMPLOYMENT AND IMMIGRATION

When the present period of unemployment subsides in this country, the necessity will arise of reviewing the immigration policy that has been pursued in the past. Without a doubt the desirability of making it more selective in the future than ever before is one of the lessons which should have been learned. Certain classes of immigrants who have been brought into the Dominion have proved themselves disruptive forces in times of adversity. That is a condition of affairs that might have been foreseen. The years of the indiscriminate "pumping in" process have borne fruit of a bitter taste. In this respect the moral is repeated, as it has been all over the world through the centuries, that nation-building is a problem in biology and must be regarded as such by all far-seeing statesmen who have the welfare of their country at heart.

We have the experience, too, at present of a migration from Canada, not this time to the United States, as during the rule of the late Liberal Administration at Ottawa, but to Europe. That migration is comparatively small, but still it amounts to from 500 to 1,000 persons monthly. They are immigrants who came from Europe in prosperous years, but who have been disappointed and are returning. Thus there is created the problem of deciding in the future whether it is worth the country's while to spend millions of dollars on unemployment relief in times of depression when those of those millions could be saved if an immigration policy of a more selective character were applied in times of prosperity.

Of wheat shipments from this country sent to the United Kingdom during the eleven months ending June last, 12,177,656 bushels went via Canadian Atlantic ports; 32,503,060 via United States Pacific ports and 82,476,864 via United States ports. This is a condition that should be remedied. Canadian wheat shipped within the Empire should be carried by all-Empire routes. It is no wonder the Eastern Canadian ports, particularly Halifax, have a substantial grievance.

An American motorist who has driven from Leningrad to Moscow, a distance of 450 miles, over what is reputed to be the most traveled road in Russia, reports he did not notice a single gasoline station. In the seven hours which the journey occupied, he met only twenty cars, and only four of these were passenger vehicles. From the travel viewpoint this sounds like a deserted countryside, or else Russia is a long way behind the times in the ownership of motor cars.

The Canadian Industrial Traffic League is on safe ground in urging that any commission inquiring into transportation in the Dominion should not be empowered to suggest changes in freight rates. That is the province of the Railway Commissioners. Moreover, those commissioners in 1925 conducted a general inquiry into the freight rate structure. The proposed commission and the work of the Railway Commissioners should be duties wholly distinct.

The Winnipeg Tribune says that the arrival of the St. Farnworth in England "would appear to be the final justification of the Hudson Bay route." On the contrary, the ultimate justification is not the ability to make the trip but to make one and all trips paying ventures.

GARDEN PATHS

Here mortal hands made beauty everywhere With any co-workers, wind and sun and dew. And fashioned out of earth's most transient things A charm forever old, forever new.

From trodden thoroughfares of din and toil We enter here to peace that beauty lays Upon the heart, and read in leaf and bloom Prophetic words whose truth outlasts our days. The fragrant paths run through the garden's peace, And he who walks with vision clear can see Ever beyond the borders shining, still, The garden of the soul called Arcady! —Arthur Wallace Peach in The New York Times.

THE GAP IN THE HEDGE

It is tiring along the highroad In the heat of the noonday sun. It is lonely in every byroad When Summer days are done. But oh! how the spirit rallies When gaps in the hedgerows bring The gleam of a light in the valleys And joy to our wayfaring. On the road to the great hereafter When the shadows round us fly, And the echo of all our laughter, In the wind heard the wind's sigh, May we find in the darkest places A gap in the hedge to show The beauty ahead, and the faces With heavenly light aglow. —"K" in Chambers Journal.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., October 13, 1931.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer has risen on the Coast and fine weather continues on the Pacific Slope. Light frosts have occurred in the Prairie Provinces accompanied with fine weather.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	—	47	58
Nanaimo	—	46	57
Vancouver	—	50	62
Prince George	—	40	64
Estevan Point	—	44	60
Prince Rupert	—	48	58
Dawson	—	26	32
Seattle	—	48	64
Portland	—	52	66
San Francisco	—	56	64
Boston	—	62	82
Penticton	—	28	64
Vernon	—	30	59
Grand Forks	—	25	63
Nelson	—	28	59
Kaslo	—	32	52
Cranbrook	—	30	56
Calgary	—	30	56
Edmonton	—	34	70
Swift Current	—	28	70
Prince Albert	—	30	56
Qu'Appelle	—	30	56
Winnipeg	—	40	56

TUESDAY

Maximum	58
Minimum	47
Average	53
Minimum on the grass	43
Sunshine—3 hours 6 minutes.	

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.11; calm; clear.	
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.08; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.	
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.96; wind, S.E., 4 miles; clear.	
Prince George—Barometer, 29.96; calm; raining.	
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.10; calm; fair.	
Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.10; wind, S.E., 12 miles; cloudy.	
Tatoush—Barometer, 30.06; wind, E., 16 miles; cloudy.	
Portland—Barometer, 29.96; wind, N.W., 4 miles; cloudy.	
Seattle—Barometer, 30.04; wind, N., 10 miles; clear.	
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.88; wind, S.W., 10 miles; cloudy.	

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Mouths without hands, maintained at vast expense, in war a weak defence.

Disarmament, like Mesopotamia, is a comparatively big word, and a big fact that it is a comparatively big word may account for the comfort advocates of peace derive from constant repetition of it. But miracles cannot be wrought by the constant repetition of words, big or small. There are two sides to this question of disarmament, just as there are two or more sides to almost every question. President Hoover has made disarmament a condition precedent to the extension of certain favors to the "armed nations" of Europe. The thought at the back of the mind of Mr. Hoover appears to be that if the European powers spent less money on armaments they would have more money to be applied to pay reparations to the United States.

The thought at the back of the minds of common people who preach the doctrine of permanent international peace and good will is not only that armaments are a perpetual menace to peace, but that money spent upon armaments of one nation is money wasted, because implements used in warfare can never be applied to any useful purpose; that armies and warships involve the necessity of employing large numbers of men in unproductive work, while if those men were engaged in productive enterprises they would be adding to the wealth of the world.

The other side to the question is that it is better for men to be engaged in building and manning ships of war than in doing nothing but drawing the dola, smoking innumerable packs of cigarettes, and roaring encouragement to other men engaged in playing football or racing horses or dogs.

When Great Britain set the world an example in disarmament by scrapping warships, she increased the number of unemployed not only directly, but indirectly. The act of disarmament had a tremendous effect upon the shipbuilding industry. It closed yards and threw thousands of men out of employment. It reduced expenditures in one direction and increased expenditures in another direction. It not only threw thousands of mechanics out of work. It threw greater numbers of men engaged in "white collar jobs," office men and office women, out of employment.

If those disengaged men and women had found other jobs ready to their hands, there might have been something upon which to justify the purely sentimental idea of disarmament. But there was no really productive work for the idle hands to do. The markets of the world were already saturated with products for which there was no remunerative demand. There is not a highly civilized country in the world today in which there is a demand for labor. There is not a highly civilized country in the world today, with possibly one or two exceptions, which is not wrestling with the perplexing question of what must be done for the unemployed. The one nation of importance in which the problem of the unemployed does not appear to be pressing is France; but France maintains the largest standing army in the world, and if she were to yield precipitantly to the demand for disarmament, could remunerative employment be found for the million or so of men who would be cast upon the labor market?

The foolishness of preaching high altruism may therefore be as foolish as the foolishness of preaching orthodox theology is sometimes said to be. High ideals are all very well, but stubborn facts are also worthy of serious consideration. It may be better to maintain big standing armies, even at the risk of precipitating war (the risk is not very great at the present time) than to incur the risk of internal revolution by disbanding armies and scrapping navies and filling a country with idle and hungry men and women. International disarmament is a splendid ideal, but it must be accomplished gradually; if it is attempted precipitantly under conditions which preclude the possibility of absorbing the disbanded men in productive employment, the attempted cure may be worse than the imagined disease.

The stock argument of the idealists who advocate disarmament at any price and regardless of consequences is that the production of implements of warfare represents just so much money wantonly wasted, for such products can be of no permanent use to the world. That argument is capable of application to many other articles of common production, but articles the production of which nevertheless employs large numbers of men and women and puts great sums of money annually in circulation. Many articles classified as luxuries are produced in the world and play an important part in the commerce and industry of the world; but if the production of those articles were suppressed upon the plea that they were not absolutely essential to human welfare, there would be such an immediate dislocation of

business that instead of the depression being relieved the depression would be aggravated and the number of unemployed would be increased. Let clamorous zeal in advocacy of disarmament be mingled with considered discretion.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except on the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

CHIROPRACTIC

Sir—Your issue of October 9, 1931, has a leading article headed "Inquiry Into Chiropractic."

As the Medical Council a few days ago attended in a body before the Cabinet and requested that the terms of the commission issued to the Honorable Mr. Justice Murphy be enlarged to suit the views of the Council, it is obvious that the leader is directed to the attention of the Cabinet. If the leader was fair or even accurate in its deductions and statements of fact, there would be no quarrel, maybe, to sway public opinion on the eve of the hearing before a Royal Commission or to influence the Cabinet in arriving at a decision. The trouble is that it is both unfair and inaccurate; furthermore, it lacks understanding of both the subject matter and the points at issue.

It declares that "where public health is at issue too many precautions cannot be taken." This is quite correct and no one will gainsay that it is the duty of governments to do so. The mistake made is that the public health is not at issue; all that is at issue is the right of the individual to seek relief for his ailments without the interference of the Medical Council.

The scope of the commission is criticized because it is alleged that in the case of drugless healers it is wide open, and in the case of chiropractors it is restricted. This statement is inaccurate. To facilitate the inquiry a line is drawn between the chiropractor and the drugless healer and the reason is obvious. The chiropractor, pure and simple, confines himself to manipulation of the spine. The drugless healer ranges through a wide variety of treatments. The commission is asked to keep the two separate and to finish with one before going into the other. Under the present law of British Columbia it is quite lawful to practice chiropractic, and the Medical Act even defines a "duly qualified chiropractor." It is therefore admitted that chiropractic is a branch of the healing art. The act goes on to say, however, that before practicing, the chiropractor must pass an examination controlled by the Medical Council. So far as the chiropractors are concerned this is the bone of contention, and as the law stands, the only bone of contention. The chiropractors naturally enough say that they are quite qualified to examine as to a candidate's knowledge of chiropractic without any interference from the Medical Council. They claim the same exemption from interference as the dentists, for instance.

Drugless healers are difficult to define as a class. Every medical man is in a sense a drugless healer. Medical men and drugless healers make use of electrotherapy, dieting, massage, and similar curative methods which the true chiropractor pays little attention to. The inquiry, therefore, into what should be done in the case of drugless healers presents difficulties which do not appear in the case of the chiropractors, and for this reason, no doubt,

a separate investigation was requested of the commissioner in their case. The Colonist would give the public the impression that chiropractors are quite unfitted to make a diagnosis. Apart from the fact that diagnosis is a matter of individual opinion and that the medical profession therein notoriously differ, there is no truth in the suggestion. In the Class A schools of chiropractic in America, the course of necessary study consists of 3,100 class hours. In the recognized medical schools of the same country, 4,000 class hours are demanded, and of this it must be noted that 40 per cent is devoted to drugs and surgery, which are not practised by the chiropractor. The subjects referred to in the leader are all taught as part of the chiropractic curriculum.

While on the subject of diagnosis, it is worthy of note that neither the Colonist nor the Medical Council nor the Department of Health objected in 1930 to an amendment of the Medical Act, reading as follows: "Nothing in this act contained shall apply to or affect those who practise the religious tenets of their church or sect, or who are engaged in the practice of medicine or surgery." Thus was Christian Science very properly admitted to practice. Here, admittedly, there is no ability to diagnose medical or surgical lines, and yet nothing was said by either The Colonist or the Medical Council then that the amendment was proposed in the House and when it went through without a division or indeed any objection on the part of the medical members.

It shakes one's faith in the bonafides of the Medical Council as to diagnosis and the protection of the public dependent thereon, of which we hear so much now.

It might interest The Colonist to know that some eighty or more of the leading life and casualty companies operating in the United States and many of them doing business in Canada, have recognized chiropractors.

It is also dangerous to quote only a portion of any report, and in common fairness, the writer of the leader in The Colonist should have published the following from the findings in Mr. Justice Hodgins' report:

"There is no reason why whatever good exists in their systems should be kept to the public. The regular medical profession has presented its case against those whom they regard as intruders or worse, with pertinacity and force. But the most extreme in that profession, in which nonprogression is almost a negation of its principles, are the product of a school which, as of old, cry: 'Can any good come out of Nazareth?' but take no sort of pains to find out the true answer to that inquiry. They are not willing to look the thing in the face for fear that they might see something. At all events, their attitude is and has been that of knowing nothing and wanting to know nothing of these cults. I am glad to say that they do not, in my judgment, properly represent the more advanced and open-minded of their profession."

The Medical Council, by objection to the form of the commission, has only placed itself before the public in an invidious position. It would have been more dignified for it to have stood aside if only for fear that the public, which has very sound ideas as to what is good for it, may consider that its interference is for reasons which are not altogether founded on the supposed inability of the chiropractor to diagnose or to any real fear for the public health.

The Medical Council of British Columbia might well take a lesson from its brethren in Great Britain, who, judging from the laws in force there, preserve an open mind on such matters and do not attempt to prejudice the minds of the public against medically unorthodox methods in the curative art.

Finally, the mere perusal of the terms of the commission will show how very fair it is and how the commission is in no wise restricted.

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CROWN COUNSEL WITHDRAWS CASE

Harold Poon, Charged With Theft, Is Discharged by Jury in Assize Court Here

Harold Poon, known as Poon Hip Wun, former general manager of

the Chinese New Republic newspaper, was acquitted by a jury at the Assize Court yesterday morning after Gordon A. Cameron, Crown counsel, had informed Mr. Justice Murphy that he declined to submit further evidence. In view of the circumstances, His Lordship stated he had no other alternative than to direct the jury to return a verdict of not guilty. The accused was immediately discharged. The abrupt ending of the trial came shortly after the resumption of the Assize Court at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning. Mr. Cameron read an extract from a translation from the Chinese of a statement alleged to have appeared in the Chinese newspaper and directed to all branches of the association in Canada. The statement set out the details of the case under trial and mentioned that Harold Poon's alleged debt to the company might be obtained as he was going on trial. Mr. Cameron said it was apparent that the officers of the company were endeavoring to use the criminal courts as a means to collect the debt, and he withdrew evidence. Harold Poon was indicted by the grand jury on a charge of the theft of \$4,738 from the Chinese newspaper.

EDMONTON'S CHINESE FEELING BELLIGERENT

EDMONTON, Oct. 13.—Edmonton's Chinese residents are greatly concerned over the present trouble between China and Japan in Manchuria, and a strong resolution urging the Chinese National Government to declare war on Japan immediately was passed at a meeting of the Chinese National Association last night, following an address on the project by Alderman W. T. Strain.

The matter fully to the meeting. Alderman Strain was called upon to answer many questions regarding the system proposed by the Chinese Council, and when the vote was put to the gathering, the system was opposed by an overwhelming majority, only two votes being registered in favor.

An expression of hope that the Council would see its way clear to build the playing field in the district at the corner of Wildwood and Fairfield Roads, was voiced at the meeting. Percy C. Payne, chairman, pointed out that it would be a great asset to the community, and would be a place where children and coming athletes might enjoy supervised sport of all kinds.

TWO KILLED IN MINE BLAST

WELCH, W. Va., Oct. 13 (AP).—Two men were killed Monday in a local explosion in the West Mine of the Kingston-Pocahontas Coal Company, two miles from here.

Announcements

Electrolysis is endorsed by the medical profession all over the world as a safe and permanent method in the treatment of facial disfigurements generally. Miss H. A. Devotes her time exclusively to this work, in which she has had twenty years' practical experience. Consultations are private and entirely free of obligation. 403 Bayview Bldg. Phone G 7642.

For deer hunting information see Edward Johnson (Finlander) at Zeta Harrison's Tourist Camp, nine miles north of Qualicum Beach. Furnished bungalows with fireplace, for hunters.

The W.A. of Belmont United Church presents "Aunt Susan's Visit" in the church, Thursday and Friday, October 15 and 16, at 8 o'clock. Adults, 25¢; children, 15¢.

Craig Rowan Tea Rooms, Marine Drive, Sidney, near Rest Haven. Always open. Luncheon served. Afternoon tea specialty. Scotch scones, honey-in-the-comb.

The Natchell announces the serving of tasty, satisfying lunches, with the usual daily service, at 30¢, 40¢ and 50¢; with no reduction in quality.

Oak Bay United. The W. A. presents the play, "The Secret Society of Oakville," on Friday, October 16, at 8 o'clock. Adults, 35¢; children, 20¢.

The Beehive for Children's English. Combining the proposed new \$1 pair Silk Stockings will not ladder; 2 pairs for \$1.65.

Electra Dramatic Variety Entertainment, October 16, St. Aidan's Hall, Mount Tolmie.

Dr. Lewis Hall, dentist, Suite 204, Bayview Bldg. Phone E 0511 for appointment.

Want City Representative—A communication from George A. McNamee, secretary-treasurer of the

Association of Tourist and Publicity Bureaus, requesting a Victoria representative at the annual meeting to be held in the Legislative Buildings, Toronto, on November 24, was received yesterday by George I. Warren, publicity commissioner for Vancouver Island. Mr. Warren is the first vice-president of the association. Chief Justice Arsenault, of Prince Edward Island, being the national president.

Will Be Witness—Antone Lauriente, a motion picture operator of Trail, will be seen in Gastown as a witness in the provincial prosecution of the alleged motion picture distribution combine, it was stated at the Legislative Buildings yesterday. Mr. Lauriente, in evidence given before the Peter White commission, said he had been hampered in his operations at Trail by reason of the system alleged to have been in vogue. British Columbia is associated with the joint prosecutions and the Legislative Buildings yesterday morning. He pleaded not guilty and evidence was taken.

Detained for Sentence—Edgar Leslie Armstrong, charged with a statutory offence, appeared in the city police court yesterday morning. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was remanded until this morning for sentence.

Small Fire—A rubbish fire on the old city property, situated on Monterey Avenue, valued at \$2,000, was issued to Percy Stacey, from the Oak Bay Municipal Hall, yesterday. The house will be succeeded and will be built by Mr. Stacey.

Fined for Assault—Stephen Gillis, convicted of assaulting George Karvelis, was fined \$15 or ten days' imprisonment by Police Magistrate George Jay in the city police court yesterday morning. He pleaded not guilty and evidence was taken.

Along those routes the air liners and freighters traveled during 1930 a total distance estimated to be 60,000 miles, equivalent to more than two-thirds of the sun's distance from the earth.

Regular air services within the British Empire increased to an aggregate of 25,000 miles, or about one-sixth of the world's route mileage, during 1930. Extensions proposed, some of them already inaugurated this year, will bring the organized Empire air transport mileage up to 41,400.

SPLENDID RECORD

Imperial Airways maintained their magnificent safety record. In 1925 there was no accident to a British air liner involving death or injury, which in the five-year period of 1926-30, 949,000 miles were flown for every single accident which resulted in the death or injury of a passenger. In spite of the unusually bad weather along the European routes operated by the company, nearly all through the year no less than 95 per cent of all flights begun were completed according to schedule, and of the remainder for the greater number were subject only to a brief interruption because of weather.

The London-Egypt section of the Indian air mail route maintained perfect regularity for the first six months of the year and fell off very little later. Egypt, onwards the mail service operated all through the twelve months with 100 per cent regularity, 944 flights being begun on schedule and 944 completed—a fine tribute to the skill of the pilots and the trustworthiness of their aircraft and engine.

Refuse Allowances—Applications from two high school teachers who alternate classes in different schools were refused by the Saanich School Board at its meeting last night. The teachers had requested an allowance of 10¢ a mile for their cars, which in one case would have amounted to \$2 a month.

Permits Issued—A permit for a four-roomed stucco bungalow to be built at 267 Beacon Avenue by H. R. Brown was issued by the city building inspector yesterday. Value of the building is estimated at \$1,500. A permit for a garage on the Bank of Toronto on the corner of Douglas and Johnson Streets also was issued. This work will cost \$600.

Due Next Month—J. A. Strong, Canadian Government trade commissioner to Panama, will arrive in Victoria during the first week of November. It was learned yesterday, during his stay in British Columbia, he will travel between Victoria and Vancouver, New Westminster and Vernon, the time from November 2 to 14 having been allotted him to visit these cities.

Tratfalgar Day—The Saanich School Board, at its meeting last night, declined to participate in the Trafalgar Day celebration to be held at the Parliament Buildings, Victoria, on Monday, October 21. A refusal of an invitation from the Victoria Branch of the Navy League in Canada to participate, Trustee H. J. Briggs said in his dissenting vote. He said he did not believe in glorifying war in the schools.

Saanich Labor—In answer to queries made by a deputation, the Saanich School Board at its meeting last night explained that Saanich carpenters and other workers are being used to the fullest extent possible on all school construction in the municipality. Particularly was this true in connection with the new high school on the new Carey Road High School.

Oak Bay Conservatives—Wards Six and Seven, Victoria Conservative Association, which includes Oak Bay, will hold their annual meeting this evening, in the Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building, for the election of officers and other business. The meeting is timed for 8 o'clock. Ward Five, Victoria Conservative Association, will hold its annual meeting on Thursday evening, October 27, at the Royal Victoria Theatre, by Colonel Rev. J. O. Pailis, of Vancouver.

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Sailing Schooner
Loads Lumber for
Hawaiian IslandsSeattle Firm Undertakes Big Shipping Contract
—Aorangi Out Today—Donaldson Freighter
Due—Prince Rupert Effected Rescue

One of the few remaining ships propelled with sails and doing business in great waters is the five-masted schooner Vigilant, which has been loading lumber since the latter part of September at a Puget Sound mill. On Monday of this week she cleared for Honolulu with a cargo of 1,800,000 feet of lumber and railroad ties for the United States naval base at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. The Vigilant's cargo will be used for the erection of a new ammunition depot, a lighting plant, other buildings and a narrow-gauge railroad.

The Vigilant is owned by C. K. Al, a prominent Chinese business man of Honolulu, owner of the City Mills and a number of rice plants in the islands, and is captained by Charles Molberg, veteran sailorman. The ship was built at Hoquiam, Washington, in 1920. She ranks as the largest sailing schooner on the Pacific, being of 1,603 gross tons.

1,469 net tons, is 242 feet long, 44 feet beam and 19 feet depth. Captain Charles Molberg of the Vigilant, has succeeded Captain Ralph (Matt) Peasley, who was immortalized in fiction by Peter B. Kyne, as skipper of the five-master. A sailor of long experience, Captain Molberg was formerly in command of the five-master barquentine, Anne Comyn, which was sold by W. L. Comyn & Co. to Peruvian interests.

SECURED BIG CONTRACT
When it became known that the firm of W. L. Comyn & Sons was negotiating for the movement of 43,000 short tons of wheat and flour from the Pacific Coast to China, there was considerable shaking of heads among the shipping fraternity. It takes a lot of nerve to enter into such a contract, especially when one does not happen to own any ships. And suppose the charter market was to tighten, what would happen?

But W. L. Comyn, of the shipping firm, apparently had the nerve. He joined with L. Everett, of Manila, with the result that they have the \$2,000,000 contract with the Nanking Government, secured in competition over shipowners in the United States, the British Isles and Germany. Without a ship of his own Mr. Comyn is now in the charter market for tonnage, and at the end of last week had the freighters Danwood, Melmay, City of Vancouver and City of Victoria chartered, while American Mail Line ships will take all the wheat and flour they can carry on their scheduled sailings. The wheat and flour haul is to be concluded by the end of March next.

FOR FLOODED PORTS
It has been arranged that \$3,000 tons will go forward in October, 75,000 tons a month in November, December, January and February, and 60,000 tons in March. The loading ports on the Pacific Coast are Puget Sound and Columbia River, and the ports of discharge are to be Shanghai, Chingkiang,

ports that were flooded. One provision of the contract for carrying this wheat and flour was that Japanese flag vessels were not to be used, though ships of any other nationality may be employed. To fulfill the contract, the successful bidders will have to employ ten to fifteen ships in October, depending upon the tonnage, and about twelve ships a month thereafter for the balance of the contract.

Mr. Comyn began his shipping career as an office boy in the shipping house of C. T. Bowring, London. He arrived on the Pacific Coast in 1898 and has been a shipowner or charterer ever since. He established the firm of W. L. Comyn & Sons, Seattle, in 1929.

APPLES FOR AUSTRALIA
Due at Rithet Piers this evening, about 6 o'clock, the Canadian-Australasian liner Aorangi, Captain J. S. Spring-Brown, commander, is scheduled to sail for Sydney via Honolulu, Suva, and Auckland, at 8 o'clock. The liner has 200 passengers in all classes booked for the passage. Cargo is valued at 4,300 tons of general, including 6,000 cases of British Columbia apples and 1,325 sacks and 775 crates of onions, the second shipment of its kind this year.

Arriving at Rithet Piers at 1 o'clock yesterday morning from Orient ports, the Blue Funnel Line S. Ixion disembarked twenty-eight passengers and discharged a small amount of cargo here before proceeding to Mainland ports.

Finishing discharge of 500 tons of corn and 200 tons of whale meal, the West Coast shifted from Rithet Piers to Ogden Point at 5 o'clock last night. The ship will be fumigated today, and tomorrow will start loading 1,000,000 feet of lumber from Island mills for South America. After taking on this cargo here, the West Coast will shift to Mainland ports to complete.

GRIFFO IN DRYDOCK
For annual overhaul, the Coastwise Steamship & Barge Company's freighter S. Griffio arrived at Esquimalt yesterday morning and was floated into the outer section of the Government Drydock, Yarrow, Limited, is doing the work on the Griffio.

From the United Kingdom via Panama and California ports, the Donaldson refrigerator ship Cortona is due to arrive here some time late today, according to advices received by A. E. Shanks, of Rithet Consolidated, agent for the Donaldson Line here. The Cortona, on her second call here, is commanded by Captain G. K. Ballie. She left San Pedro on Saturday evening for Victoria, direct, and is bringing cargo for discharge here, including two carloads of fruit.

Advices received here yesterday stated the Canadian National S. S. Prince Rupert, Captain Dan Donald, had rescued the crew of the seining boat Caroline, of Ketchikan, which was apparently in serious trouble. The rescue was effected four miles southeast of Cape Mudge, in the Gulf of Georgia, and the Captain Rupert landed the men at Campbell River, leaving the Caroline adrift. The information did not state how many men were taken on the seining boat, nor what had happened to it.

DEPENDS ON MARKET
While on a visit to Victoria yesterday, William Schupp, of Bellingham, president of the Consolidated Whaling Corporation and the American-Pacific Whaling Company, announced that next year's operations would depend upon the market price of oil.

During his stay here, Mr. Schupp conferred with Captain George Le Marquand, manager of the Consolidated Whaling Corporation, and inspected the plant and the vessels at Point Ellice.

Portland, Oregon, is quite some distance from tidewater, but it can probably make a reasonable claim how to be classed as a seaport, following the appearance of a whale there, recently. Hundreds of people were attracted to the approach to the intertidal bridge on Monday last to see it swimming about in the

Making Good-Will Flight



BRAZIL'S trio of "good-will flyers" just before their take-off in the plane Duque de Caxias on a good-will flight around South America. They are, left to right: Lieutenant Correia de Mello, Captain Archimedes Cordeiro and Lieutenant Godofredo Vidal. The flight coincides with the observance of the 10th anniversary of Brazil's independence, which was commemorated in the capital by a military review of soldiers and sailors who paraded before Dictator Vargas.

river water. It was also seen in North Portland Harbor or Oregon Slough, an arm of the Columbia and Willamette Rivers, and spent several hours swimming about between the railroad bridge and the intertidal bridge. Experts were not quite certain whether it was a humpback or a killer.

Due at William Head at daybreak tomorrow morning, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner S. Yokohama Maru should be up alongside Ogden Point Piers at 7:30 o'clock. The Yokohama Maru is inbound from Orient ports, and has four stowage passengers, general cargo and mail for Victoria.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Vessel Movements

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—Arrived: October 12, Ontario, Peru. October 11, Empress of Asia, Orient; Pacific Enterprise, United Kingdom via San Francisco; Diana Dollar, Orient; Olympia, Victoria; Prince Rupert, Koro Maru, Orient via New Westminster; Sailed: October 12, Olympia, Orient via Puget Sound; Diana Dollar, Seattle; October 11, Koro Maru, Europe via Puget Sound; Branderburg, Europe via San Francisco; Sailed: October 10, Los Angeles, Seattle, Portland and San Francisco; October 11, Empress of Britain.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 13.—Arrived: October 12, H.M.C.B. Skeena, Victoria; Planter, Liverpool via Portland; October 11, Branderburg, Vancouver; Raxson, Atlantic Coast; Golden Coast, San Francisco; Sailed: October 10, Koro Maru, Vancouver; Waiwa Maru, Yokohama via Puget Sound; Sailed: October 12, Branderburg, Europe via San Francisco; October 11, Royal Star, United Kingdom via Puget Sound; Sailed: October 10, Koro Maru, Europe via Puget Sound; Canadian Farmer, Port Alberni.

Weather Report
ESTIMATED—Clear; calm; 30.10; 50. mod. SW. PACIFIC—Clear; calm; 30.10; 53; light S. CARMANAN—Overcast; haze; northwest, fresh, 30.85; sea choppy. CAPE MUDGE—Hazy; southeast, light; 30.08; light swell.

Wireless Report

(Elevated, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated.)
MELMA—Los Angeles, October 13, 14 miles from Buena Vista.
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WURRY ON—San Francisco for Bannock, 20 miles from Cape Beale.
EMERSON—Los Angeles for Victoria, 100 miles from Buena Vista.
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ASIA—Bound Shanghai, 784 miles from Cape Beale.
CADAR—San Francisco for Seattle, 81 miles from Seattle.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE
EMPEROR OF ASIA—Philippine Islands, China and Japan, October 12.
IXION—Orient ports, October 13.
CORTONA—United Kingdom, October 17.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Philippine Islands, China and Japan, October 20.
EMPEROR OF CANADA—Philippine Islands, China and Japan, October 25.
MODAVIA—United Kingdom, October 25.
TO DEPART
EMPEROR OF JAPAN—Japan, China and Philippine Islands, October 10.
PACIFIC RANGER—United Kingdom, October 11.
HITE MARU—Japan ports from Vancouver, October 11.
PRESIDENT TART—Japan, China and Philippine Islands, October 11.
EMPEROR OF ASIA—Japan, China and Philippine Islands, October 11.
DELFTDYK—United Kingdom and Conchist, October 20.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Japan, China and Philippine Islands, October 31.

Northern Ports

(Effective September, 1931)
PRINCE RUPERT
Mails close 1:15 p.m., Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.
Mails due 7 a.m., Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday.
POINTS EAST OF PRINCE RUPERT
Mails close 1:15 p.m., Monday, Tuesday and Saturday.
STEWART, PREMIER AND ANFOV
Mails close 1:15 p.m., Monday, Tuesday and Friday.
Mails due 7 a.m., Sunday, Wednesday and Friday.
SWANSON BAY
Mails close 1:15 p.m., Tuesday.
Mails due 7 a.m., Friday.
OCEAN FALLS
Mails close 1:15 p.m., Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.
Mails due 7 a.m., Sunday and Wednesday.

British Mails

MR. DOUGHERTY OF RICHMOND—Mails close 1:15 p.m., October 13.
MR. ILE DE FRANCE (via New York)—Mails close 1:15 p.m., October 13.
MR. LAURENTIC—Mails close 1:15 p.m., October 13.
Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When sent by air over United States lines, mail can be posted two days later than the date indicated above.
WEST INDIES GENERALLY
Mails close 1:15 p.m., October 13 and 18.

MAY DUPLICATE AKRON

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 (AP).—Secretary Adams said today the navy was preparing to proceed with the contract for the construction of another ship like the Akron, if the latter's acceptance test flights are satisfactory.

NOTICE TO MARINERS
Mariners are advised that the seining boat Caroline is drifting, a derelict, in the Strait of Georgia, southeast of Cape Mudge.

A. W. R. WILBY,
Agent, Department of Marine.

West Coast Mails

ARIZONA, BANFIELD, CACABALOT, CLEFFER, CLAYQUOT, CLO-ONE, ELEVAN, ESTEVAN, PORT KAWAKAW, KIDNEY, QUEEN'S COVE, SAN MATEO, SECHART, TOFINO, UCLUELET
Mails close 10 p.m., September 12 and 21; then 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.
Mails due 10 p.m., September 12, 21, 19th and 28th of each month.
CENTRE ISLAND
Mails close 10 p.m., 21st of each month; 8:30 a.m., 2nd of each month.
Mails due 10 p.m., 21st of each month; 8:30 a.m., 2nd of each month.
CACABALOT, CLAYQUOT, ESTEVAN, PORT KAWAKAW, KIDNEY, QUEEN'S COVE, SAN MATEO, SECHART, TOFINO, UCLUELET
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Mails due 10 p.m., 21st of each month; 8:30 a.m., 2nd of each month.
SECHART AND UCLUELET
Mails close 8:30 a.m., Thursday and Saturday.
Mails due 4:30 p.m., Monday and Friday.

Transpacific Mails

CHINA AND JAPAN
October, 1931:
PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—Mails close 4 p.m., October 18. Due at Yokohama October 18; Shanghai, October 20; Hongkong, October 23.
PROTECTOR—Mails close 1:15 p.m., October 8. Due at Yokohama October 21; Japan, October 23; Hongkong, October 26.
EMPEROR OF JAPAN—Mails close 4 p.m., October 10. Due at Yokohama October 10; Japan, October 12; Hongkong, October 15.
EMPEROR OF ASIA—Mails close 4 p.m., October 24. Due at Yokohama November 8; Hongkong, November 11.
YOKOHAMA MARU—Mails close 4 p.m., October 26. Due at Yokohama November 11.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—Mails close 4 p.m., October 31. Due at Yokohama November 15; Shanghai, November 17; Hongkong, November 20.
*Mail for Japan only.

Gulf Islands Service

(Effective October 4, 1931)
GANGNEUNG, MATSU, PENDER ISLAND, PORT WASHINGTON, SALT SPRING ISLAND
Mails close 11:15 p.m., Sunday, Wednesday, Friday; 10 a.m., Tuesday.
Mails due 8:30 p.m., Monday; 7:15 a.m., Sunday, Wednesday, Friday.
BEAVER POINT, FULLFORD HARBOR
Mails close 8:30 p.m., Tuesday; 11:15 p.m., Wednesday, Friday.
Mails due 7:15 a.m., Sunday, Wednesday, Friday.
KATTANA, SOUTH PENDER
Mails close 11:15 p.m., Sunday, Wednesday.
Mails due 8:30 p.m., Monday; 7:15 a.m., Friday.
MUNGRAVE
Mails close 11:15 p.m., Wednesday, Friday.
Mails due 7:15 a.m., Sunday, Wednesday, Friday.
NORTH GILFANO
Mails close 11:15 p.m., Sunday.
Mails due 8:30 p.m., Monday.

Honolulu Mails

HONOLULU
Mails close 11:15 p.m., October 11, 18, 26, 28, 29, 30, 31; November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 30, 31; December 6, 13, 20, 27, 31.
EMPEROR OF JAPAN—Mails close 8 p.m., October 18.
MR. AORANGI—Mails close 8 p.m., October 14.
EMPEROR OF CANADA—Mails close 4 p.m., November 7.

Yukon and Atlin Mails

VIA SEATTLE—Mails close 4 p.m., October 13; 2:30 p.m., November 3.
VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 1:15 p.m., October 8; 2:30 p.m., November 13.
Alaska mails to Vancouver on Vancouver date and at 11:15 p.m., previous date.
Yukon mails to Seattle 4 p.m., Seattle.

HOLE PUNCHED IN FREIGHTER

Southholm Struck Rock—Temporary Repairs Effected by Salvage King

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13 (CP).—Dense fog and a terrific tide was the cause of the stranding of Ss. Southholm in Active Pass at 4 o'clock on Monday morning. She struck hard and punched a hole in her hull at No. 2 hold. Pacific Salvage Co.'s Helix No. 2 was called to the scene, put a temporary patch on the puncture, and pumped out the wet hold. The Southholm then proceeded to Seattle. She will return on Thursday to Burrard Drydock Co. for permanent repairs.

The ship, formerly Ss. E. D. Kingsley, is now owned by F. Waterhouse & Co. of Canada. She sailed on Sunday evening from Vancouver with paper pulp and flannel for Seattle. About thirty tons of the meal was damaged by water in No. 2 hold.

VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13 (CP).—The ferryboat Washington, which during the past few months was operating under charter between Vancouver and North Vancouver, on Burrard Inlet, has left for Seattle. The charter has ended, and the North Vancouver ferry's new vessel is in operation.

W. D. Harris, secretary Vancouver Harbor Commission, reports that during September a total of 1,033,018 net tons of shipping arrived in port. This was made up of 336,078 tons deep-sea, 241,572 tons foreign coastwise, 467,568 tons local coastwise.

The Australia-New Zealand run steamer Golden Coast is at New Westminster today, and will arrive here Wednesday. Inward she included in her Vancouver parcel considerable consignment of molasses from Hawaii.

Captain Di Vorveta Mario Ranieri and five junior lieutenants of the

Action Delights Second Narrows Bridge Official

VANCOUVER, Oct. 13 (CP).—"I am naturally delighted that Premier S. P. Tolmie is supporting replacement of the Second Narrows Bridge span and that he is pressing Premier R. B. Beirne to lead for Tasmannia direct, touching Beauty Point, Devonport and Hobart. Already considerable freight, including a large parcel of box shooks and some paper, is booked for Tasmannia delivery. This is the first Tasmannian sailing from Vancouver in nearly two years.

Mrs. Newbridge—Have you any faith in life insurance?
Mrs. Oldbridge—Yes, indeed. I've realized \$10,000 from two husbands, and they weren't good ones, either, be a prodigy."

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Victoria-Cordova Bay
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Leave Swartz Bay 9:30 A.M., 11:15 A.M., 4:30 P.M., 6:15 P.M.
Leave Fulford 8:15 A.M., 10:15 A.M., 3:30 P.M., 5:30 P.M.
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Leave Ganges 7:30 A.M., 2:45 P.M.

Social and Personal

Personals, Parties Visitors

Miscellaneous Shower
A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. C. Lambert, Simcoe Street, recently, in honor of Miss Marion Moon, whose marriage will take place shortly. The gifts were arranged in a novel manner, being concealed in a huge alarm clock, decorated in mauve and yellow. The living-room was gay with mauve and pink dahlias and pink sweet peas, while dahlias in autumn shades were used to good effect in the dining-room. The evening was spent in music and singing. A watch competition was won by Miss Marion Moon. Refreshments were served in the sunroom, the supper table being centered by a doll, dressed as a bride, on either side of which were long yellow tapers in silver holders, and silver vases filled with yellow chrysanthemums and ferns. The invited guests were Mesdames Moon, Finch, Aldridge, Kendrew, Mortimer, Sheret, Hall, Wood, Glendinning, Norris, Melville, Marchant, Stubbs and Witty.

Entertains Author
Miss Eugene Perry, vice-president of the Authors' Association, entertained at her home, Wilnot Place, last evening in honor of Prof. E. K. Sandhill and Mrs. Sandhill. Professor Sandhill having been the first Dominion secretary and one of the organizers of the parent society. Assisting the hostess to receive were her mother, Mrs. Matthew Perry; the president and secretary of the Island branch of the Authors' Association, Mrs. Ebb Canavan and Mrs. J. R. Angus; Mrs. C. E. Stacey, of Toronto, and Miss Gertrude Perry. Professor Sandhill spoke briefly and informally during the evening, and expressed his pleasure in being able to meet members of the Victoria branch of the society. The reception-rooms were charmingly arranged with pink and white asters.

Entertains at Beach Hotel
Mrs. V. M. Grayson, of Hongkong, who has been spending the summer here, entertained with three tables of bridge yesterday afternoon at the Beach Hotel, additional guests coming in later to tea. Those present were Mrs. H. Heaton, Mrs. W. Pemberton, Mrs. H. A. Beak, Mrs. C. J. Prior, Mrs. C. A. Hartley, Miss Roma Hartley, Mrs. A. Alleyne, Mrs. Colin Rutherford, Mrs. H. T. Goodland, Mrs. Rickard.

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An inspirational address by Rev. E. F. Church, on Sunday afternoon at a rally service, brought the conference to a close. "Armed With a Dream" was the subject of Mr. Church's sermon.

The opening worship service was conducted by the Nanaimo representatives. R. Heben, of that city, gave the address and J. McCague, president, occupied the chair.

Impressions of the conference were given by Miss Lillian Anderson, of Courtenay; George Wilson, of Sidney; C. McLeod, of Centennial; C. Church, and Miss Olive Heritage, of First United Church. The latter, in her remarks, suggested the different Island societies exchange their conveners from time to time.

Notes of appreciation were passed for Miss Jean Menzies, who prepared the worship services, and announcement was made that Rev. E. R. McLean would conduct a special young people's course at the training school in the Memorial Hall, starting on October 22.

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The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Anlie, assisted by Rev. Allan Greene, rector of the parish.

PRETTY BRIDE
The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, Mr. Givins Stothers, of Abbotsford, to the strains of the Bridal Chorus, played by Mrs. J. Tucker. She wore a gown of white georgette and a short jacket with half-length full sleeves. The embroidered net veil was draped from a lace cap held in place with orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of roses, myrtle, lilies of the valley and maidenhair fern.

Her bridesmaid, Miss Sheila Fitzgerald, wore pale green georgette. Pink chrysanthemums formed her bouquet. The groom was supported by Capt. E. A. C. Godfrey, of Ms. Columbia. Rupert Fitzgerald and Mr. J. Burgess acted as ushers. During the signing of the register Mr. Allan Greene sang "Because."

Following the ceremony the bridal couple were conducted to their car by the Brownie pack, who formed a guard of honor.

RECEPTION HELD
A reception was held in the Community Hall, Mrs. C. H. Fitzgerald, who received with the bridal couple, wore a gown of cocoa-shaded silk crepe and wore a corsage bouquet of pink and white carnations.

The bride's table, which was centred by a four-tier wedding cake imbedded in mauve and white tulle, was attractively decorated with mauve candles, autumn flowers and maple leaves. Mrs. Charles Thulin and Mrs. Herbert Pidcock were at the urms, and assisting were Mrs. J. N. Grant, Miss L. Thulin, Miss G. Brown and the Brownies.

TO LIVE AT ALERT BAY
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fitzgerald left for Upper Campbell Lake, where a short honeymoon will be spent. For traveling the bride wore a coat of dark brown trimmed with fur, a dark green dress and a close-fitting hat to match.

On their return the happy couple will reside at Alert Bay.

LIUT-GOVERNOR AT ROYAL CITY
NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 13 (CP).—Lieutenant-Governor J. W. Fordham Johnson was officially welcomed by Mayor A. Wells Gray and other city officials on arrival of H.M.C.S. Skeena here yesterday at 3:30 p.m. Officers and ratings were entertained today. The Lieutenant-Governor was conducted on a tour of New Westminister industrial plants. H.M.C.S. Skeena is here on a three-day visit.

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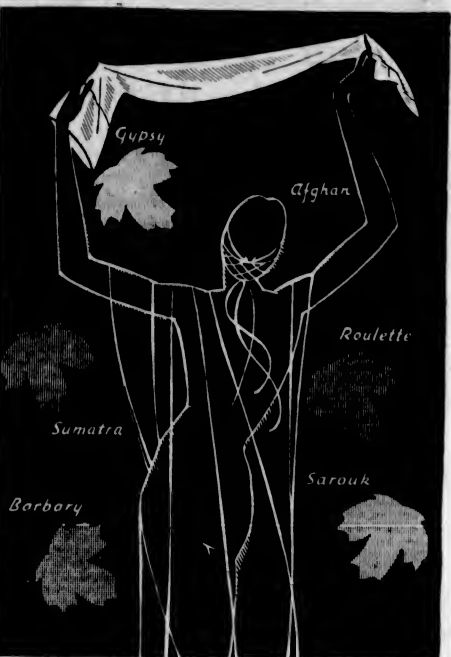
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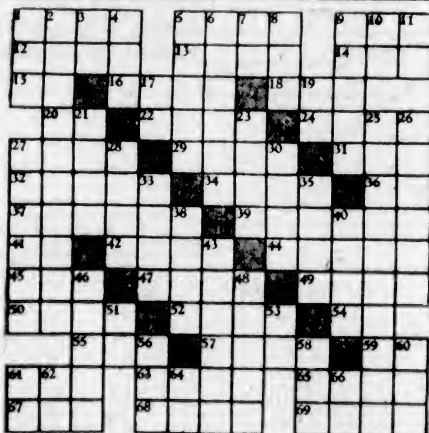
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ACROSS

1. Footless.
5. Snare.
9. Goddess of mischief.
12. To refuse.
13. Prefix: half.
14. Weight.
15. Conjunction.
16. Wrong.
18. Hole.
20. Whether.
22. Flower.
24. Weakens.
27. The one here.
29. Antlered animal.
31. To seek.
32. To respond.
34. Measures of length.
36. Sun god.
37. Places of worship.
39. Scanty.
41. Musical note.
42. Decays.
44. To put together.
45. Kitchen vessel.
47. Golf mounds.
49. European mountain.
50. Coolly comfortable.
52. Soapstone.
54. By.
55. Negative.
57. Public vehicle.
59. Siberian river.
61. To be due.
63. Tropical food plant.
65. Food food to.
66. Archaic: to interpret.
69. Variety of agate.

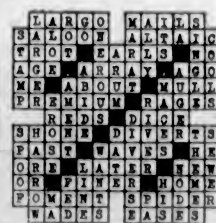
DOWN

1. Fuss.
2. Point where planet is nearest sun.
3. Upon.
4. Coloring material.
5. Next after second.
6. Alleviation.
7. Part of "to be."
8. Fruit seed.
9. Flower essence.
10. Toward.
11. Half an em.
17. Six.
19. Exists.
21. Command.
22. To appear.
25. Absolute.
26. Glazes.
27. Walks.
28. To wither.
30. Ridge near surface of water.
33. To jog.
35. Old Irish capital.
38. "Let it stand."
40. Postal.
43. Having taken chair.
46. Put in harmony.
48. Brittle rock.
51. To depart.
53. 110.
56. Black substance.
58. Japanese statesman.
60. Case.
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Fresh Imperial Fruit Cake, 8-lb. **25¢**

Fancy Mixed Biscuits, per lb. **19¢**

Crystallized Orange Jelly Slices, Special, per lb. **25¢**

1 lb. Ayrshire Roll and 1 lb. Mild Cheese, for **50¢**

1 lb. Ayrshire Ham and 1 Dozen Pee-wee Eggs for **50¢**

1 lb. North Star Back Bacon and 1 lb. Creamery Butter for **50¢**

Chateau and Velveta Cheese, per packet **17¢**

3 packets for **50¢**

Fine Quality Potatoes, per 100-lb. sack **1.15**

Australian Oranges, per dozen **39¢**

Grapefruit, 5 for **25¢**

Bananas, per basket **39¢**

HBC GROCERIA CARRY-SAVE

Very Attractive All-Day Specials for Today

H B C Tea, No. 1 Ceylon Pekoe, per lb. **25¢**

H B C Economy Coffee, per lb. **25¢**

M.J.B. Coffee, 1-lb. tin **47¢**

Corn, Tomatoes, Peas or Beans, No. 2 tins, 2 tins for **19¢**

EXTRA—3 to 6 P.M. ONLY Braid's Lanka Tea, per lb. **25¢**

Clover-Leaf Salmon, fancy pink, 1-lb. tins, 3 tins for **25¢**

New Peel, cut, mixed; 1/2-lb. pkt., 12¢

Aylmer Choice Peaches, No. 2 tins, 2 tins for **25¢**

P. & G. Naphtha Soap, 7 bars for **25¢**

Knorr's Soups, Regular 15¢ rolls. Per roll **25¢**

Libby's Pork and Beans, 3 tins **25¢**

Quaker Quick Oats, large packet, **19¢**

Rice Krispies and Peps, 2 pkts. **25¢**

Economy Selected Side Bacon, per lb. **23¢**

HBC Quality Meats

All-Day Specials for Today

Shoulders and Side of Pork **12¢**

Shoulders of Veal **12¢**

Breast of Lamb and of Veal **12¢**

Thick Roast Blade and Round **12¢**

Shoulder **12¢**

Quality Food Market, Lower Main Floor, HBC

Household Needs in Our Hardware Section At Money-Saving Prices

Fire Shovels made of heavy gauge metal. Special, each **19¢**

Coal Hods galvanized. Full size. Special **98¢**

Corn Brooms made by the blind. 5-string brooms. Special at **45¢**

Leaf Rakes of bamboo. Light and strong. Special at **20¢**

Tin Kettles 3-pint size. Quick boiling. Special **39¢**

Aluminum Range Kettles 3-pint size. Strong and durable. Special **59¢**

White Enamel Pails 12-Quart size. Special **59¢**

White Enamel Sink Strainers with roll rim and 3 coats enamel. Special **35¢**

—Third Floor, HBC

A 9c Day in the Notion Section

1/4-Inch Rayon Elastic, boilproof, 3 yards for **9¢**

Gold-Plated Safety Pins, guarded at, each **9¢**

Children's Enamelled Dress Hangers, white, rose or sky, **9¢**

Mohair Boot Laces, 36-inch, black and brown, 4 pairs for **9¢**

J. & P. Coats' Sewing Kit, containing eight 10-yard spools, needle, mending, 2 gold-eyed needles and 1 silver-plated thimble for **9¢**

Silk Slumber Nets, all colors. At each **9¢**

English Hairpins, to clear, 2 boxes for **9¢**

Wave Setters, 4 on card **9¢**

Vassar Gold-Plated Safety Pins, 40 on ring, assorted sizes **9¢**

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All-Day Specials in Drug Sundries

100 Nujol for **89¢**

25c Peppermint Antiseptic for **21¢**

75c Kruschen Salts for **60¢**

75c Liquid Petroleum, 16 oz. **39¢**

One Package Gillette Blades, 10's, One Gillette Razor **90¢**

Both for **90¢**

10c Giant Toilet Tissue, 6 for **43¢**

45c Peppermint Tooth Paste for **39¢**

45c French Castile Soap, large bar, for **35¢**

\$1.00 Pond's Cold Cream for **89¢**

50c Parilla's Chemical Food, 8 oz. for **39¢**

25c Tincture of Iodine for **19¢**

25c Peroxide, 4 oz. for **19¢**

35c A.B.S. & C. Tablets, 100's, **19¢**

\$1.50 HBC Malt and Cod Liver Oil for **1.00**

25c Meca Ointment for **21¢**

\$1.45 Lysol, large, for **1.20**

50c Hind's Honey and Almond Cream for **43¢**

\$3.75 Horlick's Malted Milk, **\$3.10**

RECOMMENDED TONICS

Wampole's Cod Liver Oil, **\$1.00**

Kepler's Cod Liver Oil and Malt Extract **\$1.50**

—Main Floor, HBC

A Clearance of Odd Panels and Ruffle Curtains at 25% to 50% Off

A thorough overall of our curtain stock brings forward a large stock of Odd Curtains, Ruffle Curtains, Sets and Panels which we have reduced for quick clearance. Prices have been drastically reduced for this purpose. Represented are marquisettes, muslins, Madras, voiles, plain and fancy designs and colors, some beautifully embroidered. Shop early and have first choice.

Panels, formerly to \$2.95. Clearing at **79¢ to \$1.75**

Curtains, formerly to \$6.50. Clearing at **79¢ to \$2.95**

No Phone Orders or Exchanges, Please

—Third Floor, HBC

A Thrift Bulletin of Baby Needs

Infants' White Wool Suits **\$2.50**

Infants' Three-Piece Sets at **\$1.95**

Infants' Brushed Wool Breecchete Sets **\$3.95 and \$4.95**

Infants' White Llama Coats, **\$2.95**

Infants' White Llama Bonnets, each **\$1.25**

Infants' Fugi Silk Creepers, hand smocked **\$1.95**

Infants' Wool Flannel Gertrudes, each **95¢**

Infants' Wool Flannel Barriquets, each **95¢**

Infants' Wool Bands **50¢**

Infants' Wool Binders **50¢**

—Second Floor, HBC

Women's Fancy Step-In Boots

Formerly \$9.00 to \$14.00. Clearing Today at **2.95**

They are mostly the cavalier type of boot, with ankle straps, some in open front style, and include patent leathers, black kid and brown calf; Cuban shaped heels. Also a few Women's Cantilever Boots in black kid. For rainy days or for wearing in the garden they are just the thing. The sizes are as follows:

3 Pairs, Size 3 1/2 **2.95**

5 Pairs, Size 4 **2.95**

3 Pairs, Size 4 1/2 **2.95**

4 Pairs, Size 5 **2.95**

2 Pairs, Size 6 **2.95**

5 Pairs, Size 6 1/2 **2.95**

2 Pairs, Size 7 **2.95**

1 Pair, Size 9 **2.95**

All clearing at the one low price of **\$2.95**

—Main Floor, HBC

An Outstanding Value in Women's Imported Cardigans and Pullovers

The Cardigans are from Scotland and are smart, serviceable and of first-class quality, being of fine Scotch wool in fancy all-over patterns, and made with four-button fastening and two pockets. The colors include browns, blues, greens and sand. Several also in black. Sizes 36 to 40. The Pullovers are from Vienna, and are made with V or round necks and with fancy openwork ribbed cuffs and the bands trimmed with effective contrasting colors. These are specially suitable for sports wear and are shown in new Fall colors. Sizes 34 to 40. All these seasonable Sweaters are priced at **2.95**

—Second Floor, HBC



150 New Fall Felts

Special Bargain Price **2.95**

Today, All Day

Many new styles have their first showing and a great variety of trimmings give a touch of color—for instance, a bright wing, a little feather or perhaps a smart ribbon trim.

A visit to our Millinery Department will enable you to appreciate these hats and will make you wonder at the low price.

—Second Floor, HBC

Sale of Women's Daytime Frocks

Formerly to \$2.95. Today, All Day **1.19**

Odd sizes and colors and broken assortments of Women's Daytime Frocks in printed rayon, craysheen, figured voile and broadcloth. About 100 frocks in this special assortment for Wednesday's shoppers. Sizes in the assortment from 14 to 42.

—Second Floor, HBC

Women's Pure Silk Hose

Today, All Day, Special, Per Pair **85¢**

Light Service-Weight Hose, full fashioned and of good quality pure silk. Shades include ecstacy, nubian, gunmetal, Deauville, promenade, shell and aurora. Sizes 9 1/2 to 10 1/2.

—Main Floor, HBC

Women's Smart Gloves

Today, All Day, Special, Per Pair **1.98**

Women's Dome Wrist Cape Skin Gloves. Genuine Perrin make. In fawn, tan and grey. Sizes 6 to 7 1/2.

—Main Floor, HBC

Women's Wool Bloomers, Vests and Panties

Today, All Day, Per Garment **1.00**

Fine Flat Knit Botany Wool Vests with opera top or built-up strap; Panties with cuffed knee and knickers with elastic at waist and knee. In cream and pastel shades; also in rose-wood and French beige.

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Indian Moccasins for Women

Today, All Day **1.95**

Just about time to get a pair of these to send to the Old Country! They are available in brown seal and elk leathers with very neat fur trim. All sizes 4 to 7.

—Main Floor, HBC

Boys' Blue Chinchilla Reefers

Today, All Day **5.95**

Smart dressy little Coats in a good quality blue chinchilla, with all-wool red flannel lining. Double-breasted and finished with gilt buttons, gauntlet cuff and belt at back. Sizes for 4 to 12 years.

—Main Floor, HBC

Fine Plate Mirrors

Values to \$2.50. Today, All Day **1.95**

Made in sizes 10" x 18" and 10" x 14" in wide white enamel frames. Best quality British plate mirrors.

—Fourth Floor, HBC

Mill Ends Unbleached Sheetings

Today, All Day, Special, Per Yard **25¢**

Width 56 to 72 inches. Lengths for sheets, pillow cases, mattress protectors and other uses.

—Main Floor, HBC

Sturdy Bleached Sheets

Today, All Day, Special, Each **89¢**

Made from a heavy cotton that will give lots of wear. Size 70" x 90".

—Main Floor, HBC

Horrockses' Hemstitched Pillow Cases

FAVORS MOVE BACK TO LAND

Says New Zealand Cannot Afford to Be "Navy" Nation

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Oct. 13 (CP).—J. G. Coates, Minister of Unemployment in the new National Government, today declared himself in favor of a back-to-the-land movement as a solution to the country's unemployment problem.

"New Zealand cannot afford to become a nation of navies," he said, speaking before Parliament on ways and means of putting jobless men into employment other than road work.

NINE-TENTHS ON ROADS
"More than 50,000 men are now registered on the unemployed list," he said, "and the unemployment board is now spending £2,500,000 a year, nine-tenths of which is going into road work. He proposed to divert more funds to productive work, particularly land settlement, and would endeavor to take men off the roads, placing them "over the fence" on farm lands in new areas.

One hundred thousand acres of Crown lands were available for immediate development, he told Parliament. He said he wished also to explore other avenues of employment such as gold prospecting, forestry, flax and fruit growing, and to give the fullest encouragement to the development of secondary industries which might absorb more labor.

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Woman Member Of Commons to Visit Victoria

MISS Agnes Macphail, the only woman member of the Canadian House of Commons, who has just returned from Geneva, will be in Victoria next month and will address the next meeting of the Women's Canadian Club to be held on Friday, November 6, at the Empress Hotel.

This interesting announcement was made by the president, Mrs. W. G. Wilson, at the meeting of the club yesterday afternoon.

Miss Macphail's tour is sponsored by the Federated Canadian Clubs, which stipulates that speakers shall be as informative as possible and refrain from giving their personal views. Commenting on this yesterday, Professor B. K. Sandwell, who was lecturing under the same auspices in the city, humorously remarked that no association of Canadian Clubs would ever cramp Miss Macphail's style, and she would give them information plus a personality and "zip" which could not fail to enthrall all her hearers.

Suggests Removal of Children's Appendices
NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Removal of the appendix from children as a means of reducing the death rate from appendicitis was suggested today at the twenty-first clinical congress of the American College of Surgeons by Dr. Philman E. Truesdale, of Fall River, Mass.

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BOWLING

OLYMPIC SENIOR FIFTEEN LEAGUE

Members—R. Laughton, 478; W. Morris, 539; H. Boulton, 433; L. Ross, 433; George Wilkinson, 502. Total, 2,304.

R.C. Telephone—J. McLennan, 512; J. Howell, 651; S. Jackson, 578; A. Porter, 771; A. Harries, 518. Total, 2,349.

Teachings—J. MacKenzie, 648; E. Butler, 589; H. P. Burns, 478; D. Smith, 431; H. H. Hurn, 443. Total, 2,387.

Green Mill—K. McFarlane, 575; L. Wainwright, 532; F. Hunter, 514; Rex Underwood, 518; Don Cameron, 435. Total, 2,271.

Finch—O. Beck, 677; T. Wallace, 532; D. Dana, 538; E. Morris, 581; H. Turner, 594; K. Burton, 443. Total, 2,733.

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R.C.B. MIXED FIFTEEN LEAGUE
Members—Miss D. Swayne, 483; Miss M. Mack, 382; Miss J. Teasdale, 383; D. Marchant, 411; A. White, 671; handicap, 859. Total, 2,465.

Hotspots—Miss White, 417; R. D. Travis, 449; J. E. Mack, 535; handicap, 585. Total, 2,501.

Universals—Miss Chadwick, 347; Miss Tindall, 388; Miss L. Nock, 382; A. Criss, 441; L. O'Neill, 528; handicap, 774. Total, 2,541.

Cozy Glens—W. Pettie, 580; M. Blythe, 381; Mrs. O'Neill, 432; Jack Woodley, 483; O. Lush, 567; handicap, 624. Total, 2,723.

Radiant Fire—Miss Torrance, 306; Miss Warder, 384; Miss J. Nock, 382; A. Criss, 441; L. O'Neill, 528; handicap, 774. Total, 2,541.

Flashlights—E. Glavin, 247; E. Cross, 383; E. Bradshaw, 383; C. T. Teasdale, 423; J. Loudoun, 478; handicap, 807. Total, 2,373.

RAPCO FIFTEEN LEAGUE (Men)
Members—H. Williams, 445; J. Clark, 311; L. Sharp, 317; D. Dwyer, 445; D. Wood, 479. Total, 2,392.

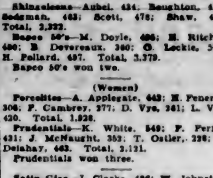
Clean-A-Floos—A. Delahay, 444; R. Clean-A-Floos, 518; R. Reid, 537; J. Hunter, 428. Total, 2,318.

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Derringer Files Suit Following Auto Accident

PULTON, Mo., Oct. 13 (AP).—Paul Derringer, young pitcher of the world champion St. Louis Cardinals, filed suit in Callaway County circuit court here today for \$2,850 damages from a man who gave him a ride in a car which crashed.

The accident occurred yesterday near here in which Derringer was injured.

The Red Bird pitcher charged the accident resulted when Smith attempted to pass a car on a hill and collided with the Derringer machine.

Derringer suffered a scalp wound, cut over the left eye and an injured nose.

CUMBERLAND BOWLING
CUMBERLAND, Oct. 13.—The 1931 season of the Cumberland Lawn Bowling Club officially closed Saturday with a banquet, at which cups and trophies won during the year were presented.

The presentations were made by Lieutenant Colonel C. W. Villiers and those receiving the prizes were:

Club doubles—J. Vernon-Jones and G. Harvie; 2, E. Schmidt and H. Jackson.

Club rink contest—J. Mann, T. Brown, J. Williams and J. Fellows (skip); 2, E. Schmidt, J. Vernon-Jones, R. T. Brown and H. Jackson (skip).

Hunt Cup, singles—H. Jackson; 2, J. Fellows.

Douglas Cup, doubles—1, W. Brown and W. Mossey; 2, F. Smith and T. Graham.

Refell Cup, for rinks—1, J. Stevenson, J. Robertson, M. Brown and J. Fellows (skip); 2, E. Yates, J. A. Walker, J. Vernon-Jones and W. Kennard (skip).

Pasle Cup, singles, novices—J. Stevenson; 2, C. Spooner.

MAKES HOLE-IN-ONE
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So Flip's white legs fairly flew over the ground. He saw nothing but the big bushy tail just ahead of him. He looked neither to the right nor the left, nor above. The big rock under which Twitchtail had his home was just ahead. Flip put on a wee bit more speed and then, just as he thought he had Twitchtail, something happened that he didn't understand at all. There was a sharp, hissing sound and he ran smack into a mass of feathers and great pounding wings that sent him sprawling on his back and rolling over and over.

What had happened was this: Talons the Eagle had shot down from back of him to seize Twitchtail just as the latter was about to dive into his hole under the big rock and Flip had run right into Talons. It was a lucky thing for Twitchtail, but unlucky for Talons and for Flip. You see, it came just in time to cause Talons to miss his aim, so that instead of fastening his great claws in Twitchtail he merely hit the latter a glancing blow that sent him sprawling without hurting him seriously, and while Talons and Flip were in the resulting mixup he was able to crawl into his hole to safety.

As for Talons and Flip, each lost his temper. Flip scrambled to his feet and made a rush at the great, awkward-looking bird, for an Eagle on the ground always is awkward. But all Flip could do was to get a mouthful of stiff wing feathers, to which he hung on in true Terrier fashion. With a scream of rage Talons struck with his great hooked bill, and it was Flip's good fortune that it was only a glancing blow. It tore his coat, and it hurt so that he was forced to let go. Then for the first time he really saw Talons. He saw the fierce, blazing eyes, the great hooked bill, and stout, long curved claws and the big, strong wings that could hit a tremendous blow. Suddenly he felt very small and rather helpless.

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So Flip's white legs fairly flew over the ground. He saw nothing but the big bushy tail just ahead of him. He looked neither to the right nor the left, nor above. The big rock under which Twitchtail had his home was just ahead. Flip put on a wee bit more speed and then, just as he thought he had Twitchtail, something happened that he didn't understand at all. There was a sharp, hissing sound and he ran smack into a mass of feathers and great pounding wings that sent him sprawling on his back and rolling over and over.

What had happened was this: Talons the Eagle had shot down from back of him to seize Twitchtail just as the latter was about to dive into his hole under the big rock and Flip had run right into Talons. It was a lucky thing for Twitchtail, but unlucky for Talons and for Flip. You see, it came just in time to cause Talons to miss his aim, so that instead of fastening his great claws in Twitchtail he merely hit the latter a glancing blow that sent him sprawling without hurting him seriously, and while Talons and Flip were in the resulting mixup he was able to crawl into his hole to safety.

As for Talons and Flip, each lost his temper. Flip scrambled to his feet and made a rush at the great, awkward-looking bird, for an Eagle on the ground always is awkward. But all Flip could do was to get a mouthful of stiff wing feathers, to which he hung on in true Terrier fashion. With a scream of rage Talons struck with his great hooked bill, and it was Flip's good fortune that it was only a glancing blow. It tore his coat, and it hurt so that he was forced to let go. Then for the first time he really saw Talons. He saw the fierce, blazing eyes, the great hooked bill, and stout, long curved claws and the big, strong wings that could hit a tremendous blow. Suddenly he felt very small and rather helpless.

Talons screamed with rage and hopped awkwardly towards him. Right then and there Flip knew just what he wanted. He wanted to be somewhere else. He wanted to be anywhere but where he was. He didn't wait. He started for the

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TORONTO, Oct. 13 (CP).—The artistic link between the nations was both far-reaching and solid, declared Sir Barry Jackson, director of the Birmingham Repertory Theatre, England, addressing the Women's Canadian Club here today. He contrasted economic and political uncertainty in international relations with the development of literary and artistic connections.

The theatre had survived the rise and fall of Governments and the rise and fall of nations for 2,000 years. Explaining his offering of six British plays in Canada this season, Sir Barry said he had selected some of England's older work with the idea it might be acceptable to a new country which was interested in building its own theatre with the knowledge of past traditions and achievements.

"What did father say when you asked him if you could marry me?" "He didn't refuse, but he made a very severe condition."

"What was it?" "He said he would see me hanged first!"

The next story: "Flip ignores Twitchtail."

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J. Meyers, who has experimented with air devices for two decades, has tested successfully a automobile that runs on compressed air.

The machine traveled at thirty-five miles an hour, but it probably did outspeed most gasoline automobiles if the gear ratio was increased, Meyers said. A tank with the capacity of 200 pounds of compressed air powered the machine 150 miles.

He fuel consumption averages about ten pounds for every 13 miles.

the experimental automobile, yet developed for practical use, gives impression to the driver of riding over the highway. The only noise is the hiss of air escaping from exhaust valves.

KILLED ON TRACKS

ANNA, Alta., Oct. 13 (CP).—Glas Rogers, fifty-year-old Canadian National Railways engineer, instantly killed late Saturday

als of freight cars. Rogers was
filled the freight yards here while
several freight cars were being
checked. He was struck and
kicked down by the cars, which
ended over his body. His wife and
family reside in Vancouver.

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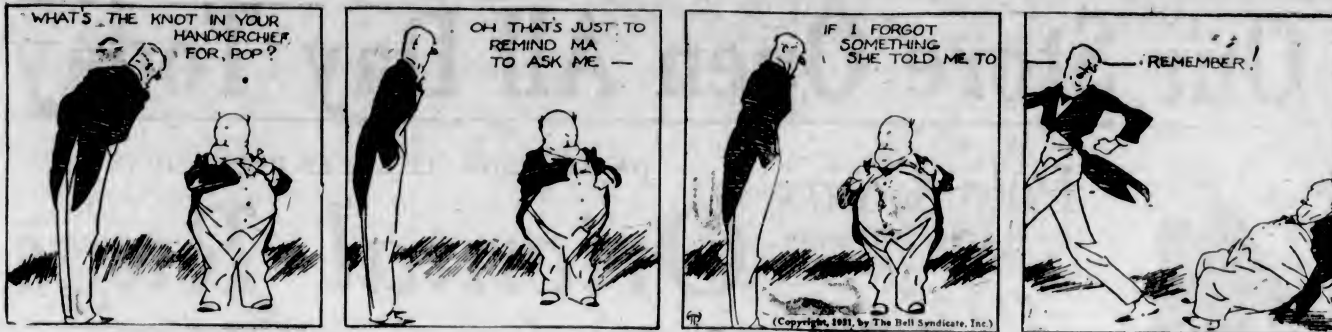
a. Green—A good listener. eh?

northern air mail route for the department of Commerce, Clyde G. Gurn and Hugh Herndon, Jr., left off at 2:50 p.m., here today on a five-day flight to New York. The route will pass through St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, and Minneapolis.

POP

It Would Be Too Bad If Pop's Memory Should Fail

B. J. Millar Watt



TILLIE THE TOILER

So Near, Yet So Far

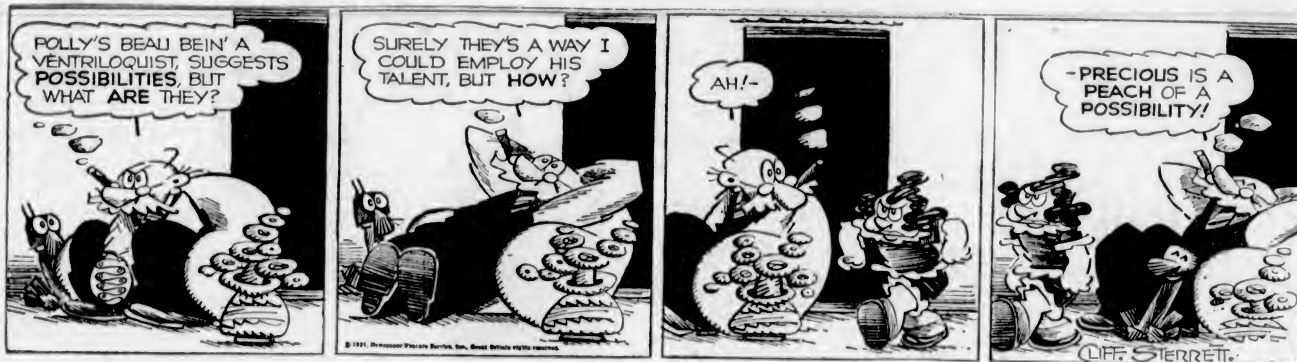
By Westover



POLLY AND HER PALS

Fertile Fields

By Cliff Sterrett



DIXIE DUGAN

What Do You Mean, Dixie?

By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel



Even as You and You (Perhaps)

By C. M. Payne



PATHETIC FIGURES - THE POOR KID WHO HAD JUST FINISHED HIS SCHOOL HOME WORK



TOONERVILLE FOLKS

The senior partner was in consultation with his junior partner. "As you know," he said, "I'm always interested in our staff, and I like to find out how they live. It was a surprise to me to find that Greatly, our cashier, has only slept two hours a day for the last five years." "How very remarkable!" ex-claimed the junior partner. "Very," replied the other, with a twinkle in his eye. "But, then, he gets most of his sleep at night, you know."

KRAZY KAT



Scientific faces always predominate among the freak show spectators. Gasp has won his spurs in the avoiddups field but the straps are too short. Prof. Esser has just explained that Gasp got this way from loafing. (Kindly draw straight lines between the numbers.)



times by holding a plaster of pitch over their mouths so that they could make no outcry.

This form of killing became known as "burking," and the idea was incorporated figuratively in England in political circles, where "to Burke a question" came to mean to stop it forcibly or to gag it; in parliamentary language the term is applied to a bill or measure that is smothered through underhand methods.

Burke was hanged January 29, 1828, after burning King's evidence. Old Diehard: "It is wonderful how like you all your ancestors are!" Mr. Nurch: "Yes; I told the artist that if they were not like me I should not pay."

HOW IT STARTED
By JEAN NEWTON
"TO BURKE A QUESTION"
A reader asks the origin of this phrase.
About a hundred years ago a man named William Burke, with the aid of William Hare, murdered fifteen persons in Edinburgh in order to sell their bodies to an anatomical laboratory.
Burke took the lives of his vic-

RUGBY PLAYER IN CAR CRASH

Horace Goad Taken to Hospital With Severe Cut—Autos Badly Damaged

Horace Goad, well-known Rugby player, was taken to the Jubilee Hospital, suffering from injuries sustained in an automobile accident in the "Dardanelles" yesterday morning.

An automobile driven by John J. Corrin, of 2334 Shakespeare Street, was proceeding west on Fort Street, and turning to proceed south on Pemberton Road when it came into collision with another machine driven east on Fort Street by D. L. Roberts, of 1918 Lullie Street.

Both cars crashed following the impact and crashed into a telephone

pole with such force that a large piece of the pole was ripped off. Glass was strewn across the roadway and the bodies of the cars badly smashed in.

Mr. Goad, who was riding in Mr. Roberts' car, was taken to the hospital, where he received treatment for a cut on the head and bruises to the hands and legs.

Mr. Roberts, who was driven home in a private car, suffered from a sprained back and bruised legs.

WILL VOTE AGAIN ON BEER BY THE GLASS

NORTH VANCOUVER, Oct. 13.—A vote on beer by the glass was taken here on October 12, word received following presentation of a petition several weeks ago.

In 1924 a similar ballot was taken for the whole electoral district, but was defeated by 200 votes. On October 22, however, the vote will be confined to the city limits.

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

by Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

NON-FITTING HANDS

It is a pleasure to watch expert contract players exchange information during the bidding with the purpose of arriving at the best contract. With normal hands and normal distribution the task is not unduly difficult, but when distribution has been playing pranks with the scattering of the suits and honor tricks around the table it requires real expertise to avert catastrophe, even though the partnership holds the vast majority of the honor strength in the fifty-two cards.

In a recent national congress there was one hand that gave a great deal of trouble to almost every East and West pair holding it and this trouble seemed in no wise lessened because all the players engaged in the contest were known as experts through the fact that they had won one or more national championships at bridge.

South, dealer, East and West vulnerable.

1. North is in a position to take some liberties with the bidding due to the nonvulnerability of his side. 2. Perhaps East is not greatly to be blamed for making a forcing takeout. He has reason to fear that the hands may prove a misfit, but North's "nonsense bid" may have dictated the showing of great strength on his two-suited holding despite the entire absence of his partner's bid suit.

3. East again is faced with a hard decision. Void of hearts he fears a great disaster and hopes to find in the club suit a place where the two hands can be effectively combined.

4. Perhaps South was unduly timid or over-cautious in failing to double the bid of five clubs. The exchange of bids between East and West should by now have made evident to him that North must hold considerable heart strength and can double that bid.

5. Whether West should again rebid is an open question. However, he figures that there is a chance to make five hearts regardless of his partner's lack of heart support. If the heart losers can be held to two, East's clubs and diamonds and West's ace and king of spades should count for the remaining tricks.

In play, this hand was defeated two tricks at five hearts, a penalty of 300 points. East and West can make game at no trump and this should probably be the final decision, although South's interference raises readers reaching that contract almost impossible.

Without the raise, the misfit nature of the hands could be disclosed as follows:

South	West	North	East
Pass	10	1♠ (1)	8♣ (2)
Pass	2♣ (3)	Pass	2♠ (5)
Pass	3NT (4)	Pass	Pass

1. East, although he holds a strong two-suiter, might be well advised to consider the future of any bid he makes. His hand is void of hearts; his partner's may be void of diamonds. The danger of the bidding stopping before reaching the best declaration is slight, even without a forcing takeout.

2. West, holding a seven-card suit rebids to disclose that unusual holding. His partner's failure to jump the bid has left him sufficient room in which to navigate safely.

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—Bargain Highway



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